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1. 8/14/72 1 photo of Alphonse Indelicate D  
2. 8/25/72 3 photos of subj. [redacted] D  
3. 10/16/72 1 photo of Alphonse Indelicate D  
4. " 1 photo of [redacted]  
5. " 1 photo of [redacted]  
6. 10/27/72 3 photos of Alphonse "Penny Kid" Indelicate D  
7. " 1 photo of [redacted] assoc. of Alphonse Indelicate D  
8. " 1 photo of [redacted] assoc. of Alphonse Indelicate D  
9. " 1 photo of Louis Farquhar (assoc. of Alphonse Indelicate) D  
10. " Rap sheet for Alphonse Indelicate D  
11. 1/15 One photo of Alphonse Indelicate D  
12. 1/25 One photo of [redacted] D  
13. 3/26 One photo of [redacted] D  
14. 12/1/72 One photo of [redacted] D

15. 5/22/80 3 photos of Alphonse Indelicate  
Taken on 9/15/72; 2 photos of Q. Indelicate  
Taken on 12/13/72 B218902

16. " Surveillance Log re: surveillance of [redacted]  
on 4/27/80

17. 11/17/80 2 Xerox photos of [redacted] (see sect #27)

File No. 92-7006

Date Received 1/20/76

From NYC

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

To Be Returned

Yes

Receipt Given

Yes

No

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File No. 92-7006-1A'

Date Received 7/31/72

From NYCPD

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

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To Be Returned  Yes

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Receipt given  Yes

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Description:

1 photo of ALPHONSE  
"Sonny Red" INDELICATO

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alphonse Indelicato

File No. Key 92-7006-1A2

Date Received 8/21/72

From FBI

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

Washington DC

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

By [Signature]

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To Be Returned  Yes

Receipt given  Yes

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Descriptions

2 photos of sub  
Alfonso J. Silveira



Alphonse Adelcats

Mrs. A.

Alphonse Adelcats

L.A.

My 92-7086-1A<sup>2</sup>

File No. NY 92 - 7006 - 1A<sup>3</sup>

Date Received 10/12/72

From GSA  
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

Mass  
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

By SA

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Date Received 10/12/72

From FBI

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(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

By [Redacted]

To Be Returned  Yes

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Receipt given  Yes

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Date Received 10/12/72

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(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

By [Signature]

To Be Returned  Yes      Receipt given  Yes  
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File No. 92-7006-A6Date Received 8/10/2012From 

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

NY State Police

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

NYBy To Be Returned  Yes NoReceipt given  Yes No

## Description:

3 photos of Alphonse  
Sorrell Red Indelicate

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File No. N.Y. 92-7006-1A  
Date Received 10/20/92  
From J.B.S.  
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)  
NYC  
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

By SL

To Be Returned  Yes  
 No

Receipt given  Yes  
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Description:

1 photo of                     
(assoc. of Alphonse Adelcats)

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File No. 92-7006 -A<sup>b</sup>Date Received 1/20/76From NYO

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File No. 92-7006-1<sup>2</sup> Par  
Date Received 9/10/75  
From NYPD  
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

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(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

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To Be Returned  Yes Receipt Given  Yes  
 No  No

Description:

Rap sheet for  
Alphonse Indelicato

## PRISONER'S CRIMINAL RECORD

POLICE DEPARTMENT  
CITY OF NEW YORK

## IDENTIFICATION UNIT

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D.O.B. 24 JUN 1916

NAME Allen Indelicato

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B# 218902

ALIAS Alfonso Indelicato

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This certifies that the files or apprehensions of the above named person have been examined and the following is a true copy of the records of this Bureau.

D.C.I.R. Record 218902

F.B.I. # 490 983A

DATE RECEIVED	NAM	RESIDENCE OR CITY	CHARGE	ARRESTING OFFICER	DATE, DISPOSITION, JUDGE AND COURT
1/6/48	Allen Indelicato	Maine 3734-5	Folo Aslt. knife	5 Sqd	Dismissed, Jan 294 Grand Jury
10/27/48	Alfonso Indelicato	Maine 459-8	1897 PL & Consp.	8 Pct.	10/27/48 - Dismissed Fol. Ct., Jr. Thurst.
11/1/48	Alfonso Indelicato	Alb.	986 PL	3 Div.	Spec. Sosa, # 9242 12/28/48 - Fined \$ 25 Jg. Troy
	Allen Indelicato	Alb.	986 PL	3 Div.	Spec. Sosa, # 9935 12/28/48 - Fined \$ 25
	Alfonso Indelicato	Alb.	986 PL	3 Div.	Spec. Sosa, # 1005 12/31/48 - Fined \$ 25
	Alfonso Indelicato	NYC N.Y. 8383	Fol. Harc Iawa		11/27/50 - SS & § 2 Fol. Fed. Cr. Se District At. Clancy
12/1/48	Alfonso Indelicato		Particular		At. Sosa, 3/20/51 Acc. - after let At. - New York City District At. Clancy At. Sosa
11/17/56	Alfonso Indelicato	Released from Clinton No. 30777 expiration 11-1-56			PLEASE DO NOT REMOVE THIS SLIP FROM EXHIBIT NY 92-7446-1410
1-18-72	Alfonso Indelicato	NY 251725	Ex 710 616 Copy RCS		SEP 16 1978 KCC P.J. - C FBI - NEW YORK

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S/ - Signature

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INDICTMENT	ALLEN	MIDDLE NAME	RECORD NO.	
DATE OF ARREST	NAME AND ADDRESS SERVED	IN WHICH CITY ALLEGED TO BE	CHARGE	ARRESTING OFFICER
12/13/72	Alfonse Indelicato	Manh. 3228-5	PL 210.35 Perjury b 3	[redacted] Major CrimesCrd.
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12/13/72 PAGE

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED BY [redacted] ON [redacted] 12/13/2022

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED BY [redacted] ON [redacted] 12/13/2022

File No. 92-7006-p%a  
Date Received 9/10/75  
From NYPD  
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

[Redacted address]

To Be Returned  Yes Receipt Given  Yes  
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*1 photo of  
alphonse Indelicato*

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File No. 92-7006-1A  
Date Received 9/10/75  
From NYO

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

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Field File No. 92-7006-1A-15

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Date Received 4/23/80

From NYCPD Ident Division

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

By \_\_\_\_\_

(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned  Yes Receipt Given  Yes

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Description:

3 Photos of Alphonse  
Indelicato taken on  
9/13/72

2 Photos of Alphonse  
Indelicato taken on  
12/13/72 B218902

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Field File No. 92-7006 1A-16

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Date Received 4/27/80

From \_\_\_\_\_  
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(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

By SA    
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned  Yes Receipt Given  Yes  
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## Description:

Surveillance log re    
Surveillance of    
  on

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SURVEILLANCE COVER SHEET

DATE 4-27-80

CASE CAPTION: AL PITONSE INDELICATO; AKA  
"SONNY RED"  
AR(A)  
(OO: 13a) BQ92-7006

SURVEILLANCE  
AGENTS ON DUTY:

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PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN

LICENSE PLATES OBSERVED

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TO SUPERVISOR \_\_\_\_\_

COPIES \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

DATE 4-27-80

DAY SUNDAY

WEATHER CLOUDY

**PHOTO PHYSICAL**

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SURVEILLANCE WAS CONDUCTED IN THE

## VICINITY OF

New York, N.Y.

, AT WHICH TIME

- THE FOLLOWING OBSERVATIONS WERE NOTED:

*# per period 217*Field File No. 92-7006-1A-17

OO and File No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date Received 11/13/80From Ident Division

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

FBI HQ

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

By \_\_\_\_\_

(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

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## Description:

*Two Xerox photographs**of**aka*

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*[Handwritten signature/initials over stamp]*

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-7006)

DATE: 7/6/73

FROM SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO  
AR

On 6/26/73, [redacted] Bureau of Special Services, New York State Parole, 340 West 40th Street, advised as follows:

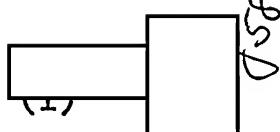
When the New York State Parole arrested SONNY RED INDELICATO at 113 Elizabeth Street, they saw a picture of a car in front of a house that must have been in Selden, New York. The car license plate came out to be a leased car which was eventually traced to [redacted]

[redacted] New Jersey. [redacted] is the

[redacted] New York City.  
[redacted] is married to [redacted] telephone number [redacted] ELI ZECCARDI, a reputed "Button" in the GENOVESE Family. ELI resides at 206 Autobahn Road, Englewood, New Jersey. He is supposed to be partners in the Cafe Roma, Broom Street, New York City.

~~Attached to the copy of an instant application~~

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SAC [redacted]

7/10/73

DA [redacted]

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[redacted]  
On 7/5/73, [redacted] furnished the  
following information:

[redacted]

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[redacted]

[redacted] Source does not know what  
He advised that [redacted]

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[redacted] Source  
advised that [redacted]

[redacted]

He advised that [redacted]

[redacted]

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[redacted]

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[redacted]  
Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
Source advised that [redacted]

ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
AR  
NY 92-7006

Source identified photos of ALPHONSE  
INDELICATO whom he knows as "SCARY"

[redacted]  
Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
Source advised [redacted]

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Commenting on the recent charge that

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC 88-14194

DATE: 7/12/73

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted] aka

ET AL  
UFAP-Murder; Conspiracy

On 7/11/73 [redacted] was contacted by the writer and SA [redacted] at the office of AUSA [redacted]. [redacted] has been convicted ~~XXX~~ in a narcotics case and has turned Government witness. He is presently in protective custody of the U.S. Marshal.

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While at [redacted]

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[redacted]  
He said that he had learned that [redacted]

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[redacted] learned that [redacted]

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CONCERNING [redacted]

[redacted] said that [redacted]

[redacted]

CONCERNING [redacted]

[redacted] said that [redacted]  
[redacted]

CONCERNING [redacted]

[redacted] said that [redacted]  
[redacted]

[redacted] will be returning to [redacted]  
[redacted]

CARE SHOULD BE USED IN ANY DISSEMINATION SINCE COOPERATION  
OF [redacted] IS NOT WIDELY KNOWN AT THIS TIME

CONSIDER [redacted] ARMED AND DANGEROUS

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, MIAMI

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (92-7379) (P)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

DATE: JUN 13 1963

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AR  
(OO: NY)

Subject is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Subject is described as follows:

Race  
Sex  
DOB  
POB  
Height  
Weight  
Eyes  
Hair  
Features  
Residence

White  
Male  
[REDACTED]  
NYC

Girl friend

FBI Number  
NYCPD B Number

2 - Detroit  
2 - Las Vegas  
2 - Miami  
4 - Newark  
2 - Philadelphia  
1 - [REDACTED]  
① - New York (92-7006)  
1 - New York

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[REDACTED]  
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On 4/25/73, subject was [redacted]  
[redacted]  
[redacted]

[Large rectangular redacted area]

[redacted] born [redacted] NYC, has  
also been identified as [redacted]  
[redacted] He resides at [redacted]  
[redacted] New York. His telephone number is [redacted] A  
review of [redacted]  
[Large rectangular redacted area]

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[Redacted]

[Redacted]

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All offices are requested to conduct indices search on INDELICATO [redacted] All offices are requested to identify subscriber checks through credit and criminal checks.

For the information of Miami. subject is a close associate of [redacted] and has been in contact with them at [redacted] NYC. (See NY airtel to Miami dated 5/7/73 and captioned, [redacted] RICO (OO:NY)). NYO is consolidating [redacted] file number 183-146 into NYfile 92-7379.

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LEADS

DETROIT

AT DETROIT, MICHIGAN. Will ascertain subscribers to above Southfield and Royal Oak numbers.

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LEADS (cont'd)

LAS VEGAS

AT LAS VEGAS, NEVADA. Will ascertain subscriber to above Las Vegas number.

MIAMI

AT MIAMI, FLORIDA. Will ascertain subscribers to above Miami, North Dade and Pompano Beach numbers.

NEWARK

AT NEWARK, NEW JERSEY. Will ascertain subscribers to above Union City, Jersey City, Hackensack, and Haddonfield numbers.

PHILADELPHIA

AT PHILADELPHIA, NEW JERSEY. Will ascertain subscribers to Philadelphia numbers.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

DATE: 7/25/73

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Source was contacted on 7/20/73 and advised as follows:

[redacted]

Source stated that [redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

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Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]

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1-92-6872 #58  
1-92-3757 #53  
1-92-5021 #53  
1-92-7006 #58  
1-92-2771 #54  
1-92-1611 #53  
1-88-14502 #58  
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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan



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[redacted]

[redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]

Source added that [redacted]

[redacted]

SONNY INDELICATO aka  
AR

NY 92-7006

*Alphonse Indelicato's*

*SONNY's*

[redacted]

[redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]

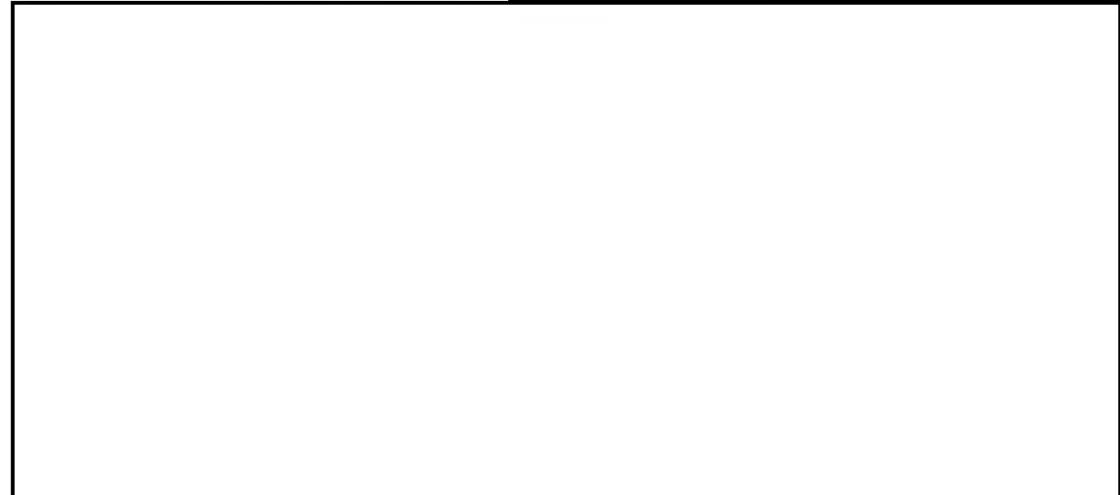
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Source advised that



Source advised



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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (92-7379)(P)

DATE: 7/27/73

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted] aka

MR  
OO: NY

On 7/24/73 [redacted]

[redacted] contacted above agent re subject and  
prior interest in Gondolfo Verra. They advised  
as follows:

In 1970 [redacted]

married [redacted]

and

had their reception at [redacted]

[redacted] The reception cost \$25,000  
and there were approx. 400 guests. Above  
agents supplied photos of wedding & reception  
obtained from the official photographer and  
copies were made of photos for file.

In the photos were the following people:  
Alphonse Indelicato aka Sonny Red (92-7006) who  
is [redacted]

[redacted] Gondolfo Verra and numerous other  
unidentified males & females.

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[Signature]

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Interviewed on 8/1/73 at New York, New York File # NY 92-7006-101  
by SC Date dictated 8/3/73

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (92-7379)(P)

DATE: 8/6/73

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FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

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On 8/2/73 [redacted] Special Agent, BNDD, Newark Office, advised as follows:

He is very much interested in one [redacted]

DOB [redacted] New Jersey. [redacted] is described as 5'9", 150. Blue eyes and drives a [redacted] which is registered to [redacted] at above address.

[redacted] is the daughter of [redacted] who is [redacted] ALPHONSE "SONNY RED" INDELICATO. [redacted] Has no arrest record, and his father is [redacted]

[redacted] stated that [redacted] and one [redacted]

[redacted] are partners in [redacted] Has been arrested by BNDD in the late '50's.

[redacted] feels that [redacted] is involved somehow in drugs but does not know the connection. He stated that he checked the toll records at [redacted] residence [redacted] and he calls the following people in NYC: ALPHONSE INDELICATO.

[redacted]  
[redacted] also advised that [redacted] has been observed in the past at [redacted] residence in [redacted] He stated that [redacted] goes to [redacted] N.J. every morning and then back home about 11:00AM and then goes to NYU every afternoon.

Regarding other N.J. drug dealers. [redacted] stated that one [redacted] about [redacted]

[redacted] is a noted drug dealer that NYPD is currently working on. [redacted] is engaged to [redacted]

[redacted] He drives N.J. Lic. [redacted] a 1973 Cadillac Brown/Yellow. This car is reg. to [redacted] of the above address. This car has been observed in the past at [redacted] Has arrest record in [redacted]

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He is also a former heroin drug addict who is currently cured. Of further interest, [redacted] advised that BNDD had many surveillances on [redacted] and has followed him and his girlfriend from N.J. to [redacted] to drop off his girlfriend and then taken him to meet [redacted]

Then [redacted]

[redacted] go to the vicinity of [redacted]  
and go to unknown apartment on [redacted]  
[redacted] further advised that [redacted] calls [redacted] on a daily basis from his home phone [redacted]

Regarding [redacted] said that he had an address of [redacted] and had been seen driving a [redacted] which is registered to [redacted]

A copy of a surveillance photo of [redacted] was obtained from [redacted] and will be disseminated to the proper informants to determine his relationship with subject and with the drug trafficking in NYC.

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# Memorandum

TO : *J* SAC, NEW YORK (92-7006)

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (92-4570) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

DATE: 8/8/73

ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
"Sonny Red" Indelicato  
AR  
(OO: NY)

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RE: Newark letter to New York dated 6/26/73.

On 6/20/73, it was determined that [redacted]  
[redacted] N.J. is operated  
by [redacted] Record check at [redacted] NJPD,  
was negative re [redacted] as was Newark indices.

On 7/10/73, Sgt. [redacted] NJPD.  
advised there was no record at that department for [redacted]

On 7/18/73, [redacted] Records Clerk,  
E. Rutherford, NJPD, advised there was no record at that  
department for [redacted]

The Credit Bureau covering the above individual's  
address is presently out of business.

Q New York  
1 Newark  
[redacted]  
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TO : SAC, NEW YORK (92-7006)(P) DATE: 8/30/73

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
AK  
OO: NY

Subject's trial for perjury is due to start in September in Manhattan District Court. This trial is in connection with the JOE GACCI killing and subject's involvement in the Nyack Department. Subject is on life time parole for murder.

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1. Will follow prosecution of subject.

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REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN NEW YORK	DATE OCT 29 1973	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 6/19-10/24/73
TITLE OF CASE ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka		REPORT MADE BY [Redacted]	TYPED BY
		CHARACTER OF CASE AR	

REFERENCES:

NYrep of SA [Redacted] 6/22/73.  
 NKlet to NY, 6/26/73.  
 MMlet to NY, 6/28/73.  
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It is to be noted that the investigative period is lengthy but this matter has received continuous investigation.

On 4/18/72, [Redacted] surrendered himself to the FBI at Santa Ana, California. He is currently in protective custody of US Marshal. He has supplied information to the Bureau regarding [Redacted] regarding ALPHONSE INDELICATO.

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CONVIC.	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES	[Redacted]	PENDING OVER ONE YEAR	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
						PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

APPROVED	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN SPACES BELOW				
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 1-USA, SDNY  
 1-Strike Force, SDNY (ATT: EVOLA  
 Family Coordinator)  
 3-New York (92-7006)  
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Identity of Source

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NY T-2



NY T-3



Contacting Agent

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ADMINISTRATIVE (Continued)

On 6/20/73, he was interviewed at the EDNY by [REDACTED] and advised [REDACTED] as follows:

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He is [REDACTED] stated [REDACTED]  
he is [REDACTED] He stated that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] stated that SONNY RED [REDACTED]

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[redacted] stated that SONNY RED [redacted]

On 7/11/73, [redacted] was contacted [redacted] in the SDNY.  
by SAS [redacted] has been convicted in [redacted] and has turned government witness. He is presently in protective custody of the US Marshal. He advised as follows:  
[redacted]

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Identity of Source

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NY T-5  
[redacted]

NY T-6  
[redacted]

Contacting Agent

SA [redacted]

SA [redacted]

SA [redacted]

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AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Will follow subject's  
trial in Manhattan District Court and report results.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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Copy to: 1-USA, SDNY  
1-Strike Force, SDNY (ATT: EVOLA Family Coordinator)

Report of: [redacted] Office: New York, New York  
Date: OCT 29 1973 b6  
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Field Office File #: 92-7006 Bureau File #: 92-14351

Title: ALPHONSE INDELICATO

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis: Subject ALPHONSE INDELICATO's residence and employment set forth. Background information re property, relatives, and criminal associates set forth. Subject is reportedly a shylock in NYC. Subject indicted for perjury on 12/13/72 by Manhattan Grand Jury stemming from JOE GALLO murder investigation. Subject currently awaiting trial NYC on above.

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DETAILS:

A. Personal History and Background

1. Residence

On October 23, 1973, NY T-1 advised that ALPHONSE INDELICATO [redacted]

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NY T-1 advised on October 10, 1973 that INDELICATO [redacted]

2. Employment

NY T-1 advised on October 10, 1973 that INDELICATO [redacted]

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3. Relatives

On July 24, 1973, NY T-2 advised as follows:

On August 2, 1973, NY T-3 advised as follows:

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On September 27, 1973, SAs [redacted] and [redacted] New York,  
interviewed the following persons:

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[redacted] white female, age [redacted] who  
is [redacted] is married to [redacted] age [redacted] b6  
[redacted] and the only other  
child of the marriage of [redacted] b7C  
explained that [redacted]  
all of whom reside here, are all employed as  
New York  
(main office in [redacted])

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[redacted] stated [redacted] was married once before  
to a man named [redacted] and she had one son by that marriage, [redacted]  
[redacted] who lives nearby in [redacted] She said her mother-in-law's  
1st husband has been deceased for at least 25 years. To her knowledge  
neither any member of [redacted] have ever been  
arrested nor connected with any [redacted] people involved in organized  
crime. She stated both of her mother-in-law and her father-  
in-law's families were originally from Manhattan but since she  
grew up [redacted] she does not know too  
much about their relatives or background. She does know that her  
husband, now age [redacted] moved to [redacted]

She could furnish no information of value regarding the subject or his associates and stated the only persons on [redacted] with whom her in-laws are close is [redacted] who is the sister of [redacted]

The above interview took place in the AM on September 27, at which time only [redacted] and her infant were at home. The following interview took place on the afternoon of September 27, 1973:

[redacted]  
[redacted] is a white female, age [redacted] and she states her current husband, [redacted] She said her sons of this marriage, [redacted] reside here and along with their father are employed as stated above. She knows the subject who during the past two years has spent occasional weekends as a guest here in her home. She was quick to point out he always obtained the permission of his parole officer when spending the weekend at her home. She explained her relationship to the husband, or rather to his wife, in this manner:  
[redacted]

[redacted]  
She grew up in [redacted] and her father was for years [redacted] at [redacted]

[redacted] She said she is not really that familiar with the subject's criminal record and does not know his associates. She viewed photos of SONNY PINTO and JOE YACOVELLI and denied knowing either of them.

She said about 3 years after the death of her first husband she met and married her current husband [redacted] who was originally from [redacted]

[redacted] They lived on [redacted]

Concerning persons living in this area with whom either she or the subject are acquainted she said as follows:

[Redacted]

Regarding

family of [redacted] she claimed not to know these people except to say that the wife in that house is [redacted] who talks to [redacted] as her next door neighbor.

[Redacted]

She said on his visits to the Selden area which are very irregular the subject would visit [redacted]. However, she claimed he never brought any friends out to Selden with him and she knows of no reason why any one from Nyack or anyone else upstate would be in telephone contact with her home and she does not recall the subject making calls when he stayed here on weekend visits. She said she knows [redacted] who has also been a visitor to her home. He had a motorcycle he wanted to sell and may have been in telephone contact with her sons requesting their assistance in selling it

She furnished no other information of a helpful nature and although somewhat guarded in her answers she was like her daughter-in-law, polite and friendly.

4. Property

On June 19, 1973, SA [redacted] conducted the following spot checks in Selden, New York:

At [redacted] New York, the name on the mailbox was [redacted] (It is to be noted that [redacted] is [redacted])

At [redacted] lives [redacted]

At 104 South Evergreen Avenue in Selden resides GONDALFO VERRA and at [redacted] resides [redacted]

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B. Associates and Criminal Activities

On June 25, 1973, NY T-4 advised as follows:

[REDACTED] ALPHONSE INDELICATO [REDACTED]

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On June 26, 1973, the Newark Division advised as follows regarding subscribers to telephone numbers called by [REDACTED] New York City.

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Records of the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company reflect subscribers to the following telephone numbers:

[REDACTED]  
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Newark indices are negative for above individuals and telephone numbers.

On June 13, 1973, records of the Union City, New Jersey Police Department, reflect no record for [redacted] Credit Bureau covering this address presently out of business.

On June 13, 1973, records of the North Bergen, New Jersey Police Department, reflect no record for [redacted] Credit Bureau covering this address presently out of business.

On June 13, 1973, records of the North Bergen, New Jersey Police Department, reflect that DAVID SINGER, foreman, for Sun Rise Fashions, 7100 West Side Avenue, North Bergen, New Jersey, made a complaint on March 17, 1973 of mischievous damage to vehicles and property at that address. SINGER was described as a white male, age 59, with home address of 975 East 79th Street, Brooklyn, New York. Owner of business was given as RICHARD SINGER. No further information was reflected in Police Department files. Newark indices negative regarding DAVID and RICHARD SINGER.

On June 18, 1973, records of the Hopatcong, New Jersey Police Department, reflect JOSEPH CATANIA of 6148 North-Western Way, Hopatcong, New Jersey, was arrested September 30, 1971 for a motor vehicle charge and he was described at that time as a white male, date of birth April 2, 1939, place of birth Brooklyn, New York, with Social Security number 082-30-8432. Certified Credit Reports of Morris County, Incorporated, reflect a record for JOSEPH CATANIA, [redacted] with employment at [redacted] no address given.

On June 18, 1973, records of the Jefferson Township, New Jersey Police Department, reflect no record for [redacted] however, it was determined that [redacted]  
[redacted] On June 19, 1973, records of the Certified Credit Reports of [redacted] Incorporated reflected no record for [redacted]

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On June 28, 1973, the Miami Division advised as follows regarding subscribers to telephone numbers called by [redacted] New York City.

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A review of the 1973 Bresser's Cross Index Directory by SC [redacted] indicates that Miami telephone number 945-3461 is subscribed to by the Castaways Resort Motel, 16375 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach; telephone number 947-7511 is subscribed to by the Dunes Hotel, 17001 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida.

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On June 26, 1973, NY T-1 advised as follows:

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On July 5, 1973, NY T-5 advised as follows:

NY T-5 identified photos of ALPHONSE INDELICATO

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On July 20, 1973, NY T-6 advised as follows:

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On August 8, 1973, the Newark Division advised as follows:

On June 20, 1973, it was determined that [REDACTED] New Jersey, is operated by [REDACTED] Record check at [REDACTED] New Jersey Police Department, was negative regarding [REDACTED] as was Newark indiccs.

On July 10, 1973, Sergeant [REDACTED] Fort Lee, New Jersey Police Department advised there was no record at that department for [REDACTED]

On July 18, 1973, [REDACTED] Records Clerk, East Rutherford, New Jersey Police Dopartment, advised there was no record at that department for [REDACTED]

The Credit Bureau covering the above individual's address is presently out of business.

#### C. Court Appearances

On December 13, 1972, ALPHONSE INDELICATO was indicted for perjury, resulting from Grand Jury testimony before Manhattan Grand Jury, New York City. He was arrested same day and was lodged in Manhattan House of Detention in lieu of \$15,000 bail.

On February 26, 1973, he was released from Manhattan House of Detention after posting bail.

On August 30, 1973, Assistant District Attorney [REDACTED] Manhattan, advised that subject's trial should be starting shortly.

On October 24, 1973, Assistant District Attorney [REDACTED] Manhattan, advised that due to a heavy work load, subject's trial date has been delayed indefinitely.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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New York, New York

In Reply, Please Refer to:

File No.

Bu file 92-14351  
NY file 92-7006

OCT 29 1973

Title:

Alphonse Indelicato

Character

Anti-Racketeering

Reference

Special Agent [redacted]  
above at New York.

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dated and captioned as

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All sources (except any listed below), whose identities are concealed  
in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC 92-7006 (P)

DATE: 9/28/73

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FROM : SA [redacted] BAB RA

ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
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SUBJECT: [redacted]

On 9/27/73, the writer & SA [redacted]  
Selden, N.Y. interviewed the following persons:

[redacted] who is the [redacted]

She could furnish no information of value re the subject/s or his associates and stated the only persons on [redacted] with whom her in-laws are close is [redacted]

The above interview took place in the A.M. on 9/27 at which time only [redacted] were at home. the following interview took place on the afternoon of 9/27/73:

[redacted] She knows the subject who during the past two years has spent occassional weekends as a guest here in her home. She was quick to point out he always obtained the permission of his parole officer when spending the weekend at her home. She explained her relationship to the husband, or rather to his wife, in this manner:

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[redacted] She said she is not really that familiar with the subject's criminal record and does not know his associates. She viewed photos of Sonny Pinto and Joe Yacovelli and denied knowing either of them.

[redacted]  
Concerning persons living in this area with whom either she or the subject are acquainted she said as follows:

[redacted]  
She said on his visits to the Selden area which are very irregular the subject would visit [redacted]. However, she claimed he never brought any friends out to Selden with him and she knows of no reason why any one from Nyack or anyone else upstate would be in telephone contact with her home and she does not recall the subject making calls when he stayed here on weekend visits. She said she knows [redacted] who has also been a visitor to her home. He had a motorcycle he wanted to sell and may have been in telephone contact with her sons requesting their assistance in selling it.

She furnished no other information of a helpful nature and although somewhat guarded in her answers she was like her daughter-in-law polite and friendly.

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The following information was obtained on 9/27/73 from records made available by [redacted] Receiver of Taxes, Town of Brookhaven, Main St., Port Jefferson, NY :

The area of interest in Selden is known as NATURES GARDENS in the tax records and the main number to have in future inquiry is called the Item Number.

ITEM #

66-21060

JOSEPH CARUSO of 139 S. Evergreen Dr. Selden, N.Y., 11784  
owner of Nature's Gardens (hereafter will abbreviate N.G.)  
1370, Sec. 9, Lots 128 & 129, which is .36 acres, Assed. Value  
is \$1,180 , Total annual tax \$443.46 , no bank involved in payment.

The following item numbers and names were copied by the writer as it appears some may be of interest to NYO agents. Writer requests case agent in captioned case advise SA assigned [redacted] case of those relating to him and conduct indices checks re others of possible significance to LCN matters.

55-12550 GANDOLFO & F. VERRA of 238 Mott St. , NYC have lots 501 & 500 in N.G. 11002, Sec 2, A.V is \$2,515 and T.Tax is \$1,057.05. No bank appears involved in payments.

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ROSARIO & C. CORSALE of 213 Mott St. , NYC has lots 18 & 19 in the same sec. as previous two listings.

55-13680 JOSEPH CARUSO of 79 Hollywood Ave., Selden, NY , 11784 in N.G. 11002, Sec. 2, has lots 641 & 642. A.V. \$400 . T.Tax\$168.12

The following persons named [redacted] were noted:

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Date: 11/27/73

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(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority)

TO: SAC, NEW YORK (92-7006)

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (92-3732) (RDC)

SUBJ: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
"Sonny Red" Indelicato, Etc.

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Re report of SA [redacted] dated 6/22/73  
at New York and Miami airtel to New York dated 6/28/73.

Subscriber to Miami telephone number 871-9494  
is a coin telephone, Dade County Court Authority, Miami  
International Airport, Miami, Florida, Concourse #3.

Due to commercial nature of this number, no further  
investigation is being conducted by the Miami Office of the  
FBI.

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Special Agent in Charge

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TO : SAC (92-7006) (P)

DATE: 12/21/73

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka.  
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On 12/20/73 Det. [redacted]  
Major Investigation Section, New York  
City Police Department advised he  
has no current information re  
subject or his present whereabouts.  
He further advised he would  
contact the FBI as soon as  
he receives some information.

Investigation continuing

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CHIEF CLERK STANLEY J. SAWYER  
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Date: 2/4/74

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TO: SAC, New York (92-7006)

FROM: SAC, Miami (92-3732) (RUC)

SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
"Sonny Red" Indelicato  
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OO: New York

Re Miami airtel to New York, 11/27/73.

By referenced communication, Miami RUC'd this matter to New York.

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Approved: *[Signature]* Sent *QD* M Per \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

DIRECTOR, FBI (92-14351)

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SAC, NEW YORK (92-7006) (P\*)

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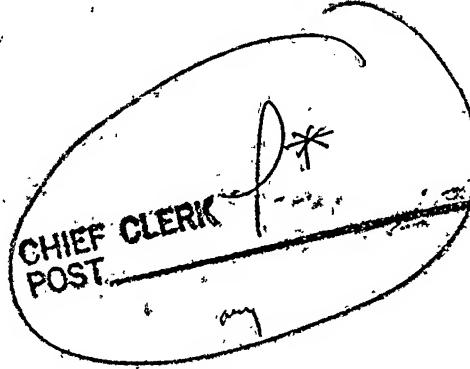
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No informants have been reporting on subject during this reporting period.

Subject was indicted for perjury on 12/13/72, by Manhattan Grand Jury stemming from JOE GALLO murder investigation. Subject is still awaiting trial in New York City on above charge.

Due to the above, this case is being put on a pending inactive status. In six months time, this case will be re-evaluated unless it is shown that subject is again active in criminal activities. Bureau will be kept advised.



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TO : SAC (92-7379) P

DATE: 2/20/74

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

cc: NY

On 2/19/74 [redacted] NYS Penit,  
314 W. 40 St NYC addressed as follows:

Subject is in Great Meadow Correctional  
Institute near Albany but is trying to get  
to Green Haven which is closer to NYC. The  
following people are on subject's visiting &  
correspondence list:

- ① Alphonse Indelicato [redacted]
- ② Beatrice Indelicato [redacted]

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D 92-7006 (Alphonse Indelicato), Post!

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Source advised that [redacted]

ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka.  
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Source advised that SONNY RED [redacted]

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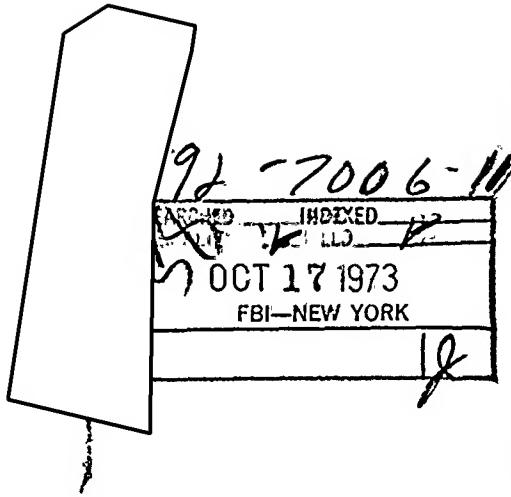
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Source advised, on 5/30/74, as follows:

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Subject and [redacted]  
[redacted] Source advised [redacted]

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Subject [Redacted]

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ON 6/11/74 SOURCE ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

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Source further advised that [redacted]

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-7006)(P)

DATE: 7/19/74

FROM : SUPV. [redacted]

SUBJECT: *Ar Shonse*  
[redacted] INDELICATO aka

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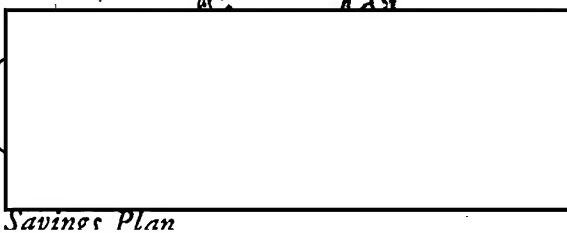
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Investigation in this matter should be activated, captioned subject's activities brought up-to-date, and appropriate communication submitted to the Bureau setting forth results of investigation.

It is noted that according to Bureau regulations, report should be submitted within 30 days of this memo.



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAE (92-7006) P\*

DATE: 9/22/74

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
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Ref NY letter to Director 2/19/74.

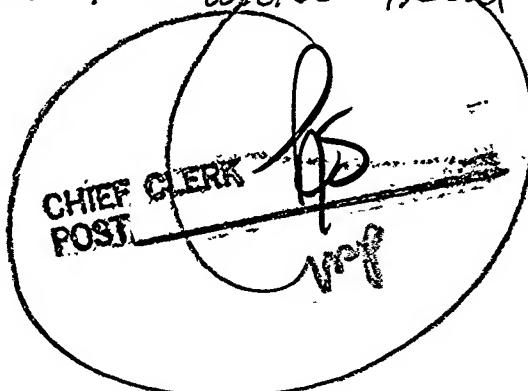
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## Memorandum

TO: SAC [redacted]

DATE: SEP 27 1974

FROM SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

9/23/74

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ALPHONSE INDELLICATO aka; AR; NY 92-7006\*

## Purpose and results of contact

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN. (Ghetto only)

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information? NO

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (92-14351)

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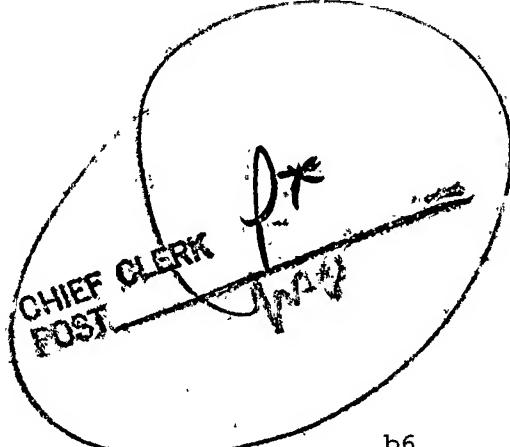
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Subject was indicted for perjury on December 13, 1972 by Manhattan Grand Jury, New York City, stemming from JOE GALLO murder investigation. Subject's trial is supposed to start within the next month.

Due to the above, this case is being kept in a pending inactive status. In six months time, this case will be re-evaluated. Bureau will be kept advised.

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*Memorandum*

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 11/25/74

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

Dates of Contact

11/21/74

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Purpose and results of contact

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On 11/21/74, source advised that [redacted]

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b7D POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

No

 Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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On 11/8/74, [redacted] Special Attorney, SDNY Strike Force, advised that at a jail reduction hearing held before USDJ THOMAS P. GREISA, a motion was accepted by GREISA wherein the US would accept bail other than cash provided by individuals other than the immediate family of [redacted] to satisfy a \$70,000 cash bail by GREISA concerning [redacted] in another hearing. [redacted] advised the following individuals appeared and pledged chattels or personal bonds on behalf of [redacted]

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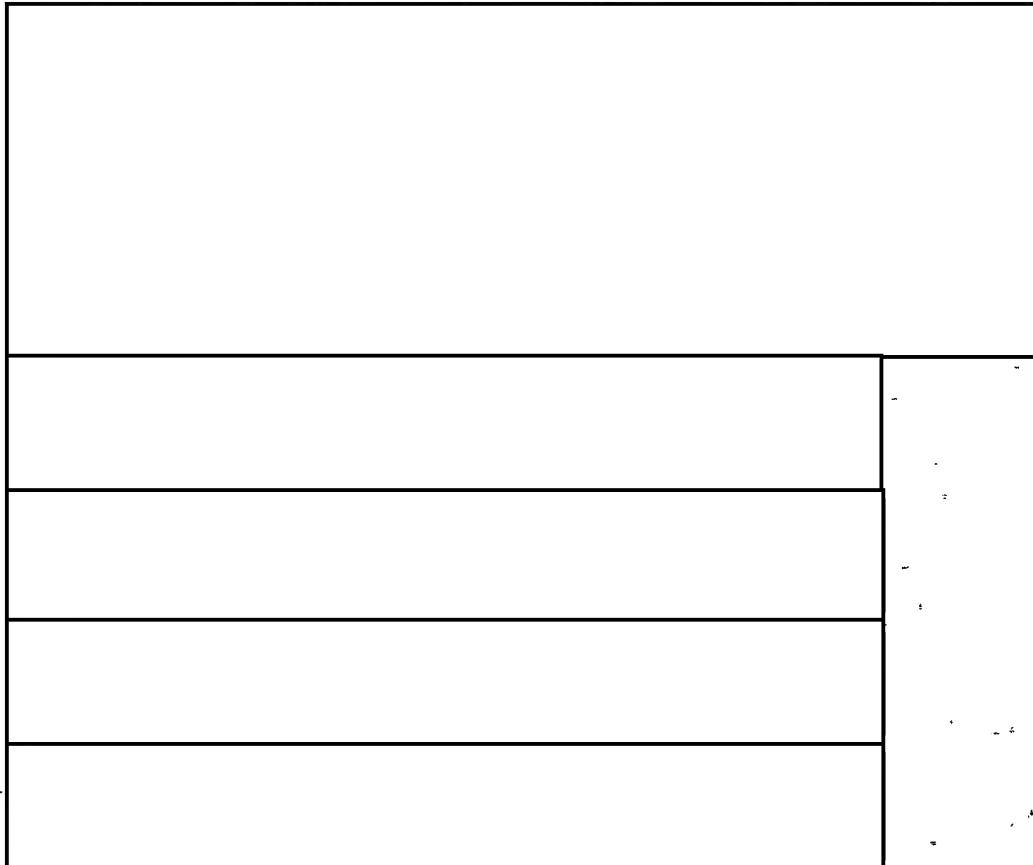
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Inquiries by the investigating Agent with a courtroom spectator who refused to be further identified revealed that attorney [redacted] allegedly is a former Assistant DA in the Bronx who, after being the prosecuting attorney of record in the Bronx, participated in numerous plea bargain situations in which major narcotics traffickers were allowed to receive substantially reduced pleas. [redacted] allegedly thereafter quit the Bronx DA's Office and joined two other individuals of similar character and currently represents many major narcotics traffickers in New York City.

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TO : SAC (93-7006)

DATE: 12/9/74

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka

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Period, 314 W. 40 St., NYC advised as follows:

Indelicato was brought into his office on 12/4/74 to answer questions pertaining to the [redacted] articles that appeared in the NY Daily News the last week of November. [redacted] stated that Indelicato stated that the info in the News was completely false and Indelicato refused to answer any further questions in that he was indicted for the very same thing that appeared in the news.

Indelicato was recently given permission to visit [redacted]

[redacted] On 12/5/74 Indelicato visited [redacted]  
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[redacted] which is registered to [redacted]  
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[redacted] stated that when they picked up D'Addato they had a search warrant and searched his apartment at 113 Elizabeth Street, NYC. The following phone numbers were in D'Addato's possession (also addresses):

[redacted] also made available a copy of what appears to be a wedding or shower list [redacted] from D'Addato's apartment.  
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## A Mobster Tells

**Lugger** *Hiring Death, Heads for Coast and I.*

By PAUL MESKIL  
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(Last of a series)

The young FBI agent had never met anyone like Joe Pesh before. When the hulking hood walked into his office and told him he wanted to surrender for the murder of Crazy Joe Gallo, the agent was dumfounded.

Within a week after Gallo's execution at Umberto's Glam House in April 1972, the man who set it up—Joseph (Joe P.) LaParelli—was running for his life. He feared that his boss, Colombo confidante Joseph (Joe-Nack) Iacovelli,

planned to kill him and his wife because they knew too much.

So he fled to California and surrendered at the FBI office in Santa Ana, south of Los Angeles.

"My name is Joe Luparelli," the fugitive hit man said. "I was involved in the Joe Gailo shooting. I'm here for protection."

The agent on duty did not believe him. When the agent called the New York office to check the story, he said: "I think I've got a nut on my hands."

"He's no nut," an agent in New York replied. "He's for real. Hang on to him."

Luparelli asked that he be turned

over to Denis Dillon, then chief of the Strike Force Against Organized Crime in the Eastern District of New York and now district attorney-elect of Nassau County. But the FBI decided to give him to the New York City Police Department, which had jurisdiction in the Gallo case.

Returned to New York under heavy guard, he was lodged in various Times Square hotels while detectives and FBI men questioned him. His family also received police protection. Several mobsters phoned his wife and tried to arrange a meeting between her and Joseph (Jojo) Crumb, Tedsche, a Genovese gangster and pal of Joe Yack.

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Laparelli said his wife's sister had been going out with a Genoese sailor.

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# Luparelli Flees to the West Coast and Sets Up to the Job

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associate known to him as Barry. Police sources identified Barry as Rocco Perino, father-in-law of Genovese soldier Dominick (Cokie) D'Oni. Alongi, longtime lieutenant of the late Thomas (Tommy Ryan) Eboli and a friend of Joe Yack.

"Barry came over to the house one day and spoke to Jerry downstairs while he (the detective) was on outside duty. Barry was always bringing reports back (about what went on in the Luparelli household). Barry told my wife she should try to send me crazy by not coming to see me and they would give her money the rest of her life.

"If she would leave me to make me go crazy, maybe I wouldn't be able to testify. If I go crazy, I might kill myself. They were hoping on that. And they almost succeeded.

"We had an argument. I abused everybody over the phone. I screamed at her sister. I told my wife, 'What's

going on there with your sister and Barry bringing back all the tales?'

"Then she (Mrs. Luparelli) didn't want to bother with me no more. She said she was going to sign everybody off (call off the police guard). No more protection.

## Feared for His Children

"I was afraid for her life. I was afraid they'd kidnap one of my kids in order to make a deal. And I figured the only thing I could do to make them safe was to be dead."

(At the time, Luparelli was in a motel in the metropolitan area, with two United States marshals guarding him.)

"That evening I cut my wrist with a razor. I lay on the bed with my wrist hanging over the side and just let it bleed out. One of the marshals came in. He looked at the floor and seen the blood and called his partner.

"They tied up my arm and rushed me to a hospital. They asked 'he who?' and I said, 'I just gotta help my family.'

If I'm dead, maybe they'll leave my family alone."

"And they said, 'That's what they want you to do.'"

U.S. Marshal Ben Butler of Brooklyn and his assistant, Mike Pizzi, took over the job of protecting Luparelli's family. Luparelli remained in federal custody for two years, testifying before grand juries and at court trials of some of his former comrades-in-arms.

As a result of his testimony, a Manhattan grand jury named Carmine (Sonny Pinto) Di Biase as the killer of Crazy Joe Gallo. Di Biase and two brothers who assisted him with the hit have not been apprehended.

After 22 months in hiding, Joe Yack surrendered to police last February. But he has not been charged with playing any part in the Gallo murder.

His former chauffeur-bodyguard went through a job-training program and is now doing honest work for the ~~mafia~~ <sup>life</sup> is his life. He doesn't live or work in the city where we met for

the interviews. I didn't know where he was living. He wouldn't tell me anything.

"I'm in a nice community," he said. "I get along with people. Nobody there knows."

"It's been almost two years since I went on the lam. I was very security-minded at first. Right now I don't feel I look around from force of habit but I don't feel they're behind me. I don't feel anyone is following me but I watch my back anyway."

## They Know He's a Hell of a Lot

"If anything's going to happen, it will happen."

"Joe Yack knows I know a hell of a lot. Junior (Carmine Persico) and all them guys would like to have their hands on me. If they do ever catch up with me, I only hope they'll treat me right away."

"I wouldn't want to be tortured. I don't mind dying if I don't want to die a thousand times."

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## A Mobster Talks

# His Fighting Begins

### On Crime's Volatile Stage

By PAUL MESKIL

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(Fourth of a series)

A dream of blood, a pointing trigger finger, an order to kill his own wife . . .

These were some of the things that caused Joseph (Joe Pesh) Luparelli to flee from the mob and turn to the FBI for protection. When he set up the murder of "Crazy" Joe Gallo in 1972, Joe Pesh realized he might soon be a target for the Gallo gang. But he never dreamed that a contract for his execution would be put out by his boss, Joseph (Joe Yack) Yacovelli, consigliere of the Colombo crime family.

#### Using a Code on the Phone

After the Gallo hit, Luparelli drove up to the Colombo command post in Nyack, N.Y., with the chief assassin, Carmine (Sonny Pinto) Di Biase and another participant, Philip (Fat Furgi) Gambino. They told Yack what they had done.

Next day, Yack began a series of conferences with other Colombo capos. "I contacted them through phone booth stations," Joe Pesh told me at a secret rendezvous far from his old

underworld haunts. "I would go to a pay phone in Nyack and call a pay phone in Little Italy or Brooklyn. When a guy answered, I would say, 'Have so-and-so call this number from Station A at 5 o'clock.' Something like that."

#### Word on Sonny Skipped Out

"We used different phone booths through the city—Stations 1, 2, 3, A, B, C and so on. And we used code names, Joe Yack was Roger. When a guy called back, I would say, 'Roger wants so-and-so.' And I would tell them to meet me at the first gas station off the George Washington Bridge on Palisades Parkway."

"Alley Boy (Alphonse Persico, who was made a full captain in the Colombo army around this time) came up and Joe Angelo, Vinnie Aloi came later."

(Aloi, acting boss of the Colombo clan, was spotted by an FBI agent on April 18, 10 days after the Gallo rubout, in the Nyack apartment house where Joe Pesh and Joe Yack were hiding.)

"They were all concentrating on Pete the Greek (Gallo's bodyguard, wounded in the shootout at Limberto's Club House). They found out that Joe Gallo's father went to see Pete the Greek in the hospital. Pete whispered something or in the old man's ear, probably about

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Sonny Pinto. Before you know it, the word is out. (Sonny Pinto done it.) "Jerry Ciprio got it a few days after Joe Gallo. (Ciprio was killed by a shotgun blast April 10 outside his Brooklyn restaurant). Joe Yack was glad of that. Ciprio was hit because he was an associate of Gallo's. He was on the list (a death list of 17 Gallos, drawn up by Yack after Joe Colombo was shot in 1971).

"Ciprio was ordered to stay away from them (the Gallos), but when he came to Mulberry St., he was acting as a spy for the Gallos and we were aware of it. But Joe Yack held off. He said, I don't want no guys dropping until Joe Gallo's hit first. All Gallo associates were to be killed later.

#### Blamed It All on Gallos

"Some other guys got it around the same time as Ciprio. When there's a war and the bodies are dropping, everybody starts to clean up house. They took advantage of it and let it all be blamed on the Gallos." Joe Yack said: "If Pete the Greek was smart, he would ask for some kind of sitdown and I might spare his life if he would do like I tell him. We may have to whack him out with Blast (Joe Gallo's brother) and the rest, but I could spare his life if we could do it right."

Joseph Luparelli  
Joseph Yacovelli

A contract from the boss?

"So lots of meetings started. Sonny Pinto went up to Connecticut (to a mob hideout). Yack didn't want to chance his staying with us. Yack and I laid up in Nyack."

They were very busy but Yack found time to inquire about the health of his bodyguard's family, a concern that sent chills through Luparelli's well-larded frame. He remembered the only order

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# This Flight Begins With Order: Kill Your Wife

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from the *counselor* that he had disobeyed.

"I had been having problems with my wife. And I had been told many times that I showed weakness because I loved my wife and kids. I was told not to show too much love to my family. You shouldn't be with your kids too much. You're not paying enough attention to our *thing* (*cosa nostra*)."

"My wife left me a few times. One time she took off with some money that didn't belong to me, about \$6,000. I was only holding it and when I couldn't produce it Yack got a hold of me. He said: 'She took the money. I don't care about the money. It's the insult. She don't give a damn about nobody. She's sending you crazy. You think she's ever gonna stop?'

"I said: 'I just don't know.' Then he said: 'Answer this question: When a person gets cancer, what do they do?'

## Told to 'Kill' Wife

"I said: 'They try to get rid of it, cut it out.'

"He said: 'Your wife is a cancer to you. I want you to kill her. We'll take care of the body. You won't have to bury her or nothing. I'll tell you how to do it.'

"I told him: 'I don't know where she's at.'

"He said: 'Get rid of her. Then you'll have your kids to yourself.' After five days of this, he more or less convinced me. He talked me into hating her."

"About two weeks later, this guy told me she was living in a trailer at a resort in Monticello. I got up there about daybreak. I knocked on the door, she opened it and I bellowed: 'Why did you do this to me? Why did you touch that money? You're destroying me!'

"Instead of killing her, I stood up there three days I stood with her, played with the kids. When I got back, Yack raised all kinds of hell. 'Don't tell me. I don't want to hear it. You didn't do nothing,' I said."

"All this happened before Colombo got shot, but it came to my mind while we were hiding out at Nyack. After

the Gallo hit, I went home to get some clothes. My wife asked me what happened. I said: 'Don't ask.' I never told her I was implicated.

"I told her: 'You're going to get \$200 a week; just keep your mouth shut.' She knew Joe Yack was a Colombo boss and I was with Joe Yack. I kept as much as I could from her but she reads the papers and watches TV. I can't lock her in a room."

When Joe Pesta returned to Nyack, Yack asked about his wife.

"Fat Fungi was there and he told me a story about this guy in Connecticut, a made man (Mafia member) who they poisoned and he got 10 times stronger. Instead of dying, he got violent. They had to shoot him in the head. After that story, Yack asked me about my wife: 'What's she doing? She know what happened? You didn't say anything to her?'

"I said: 'Joe, she knows you and me are together. You called me up at the house. You called her when I was in the hospital.'

"He said: 'Well, both cars here are in your wife's name, so I'd like you to tell her to come up and take the cars.' I had a '72 Chevrolet Impala and an Oldsmobile there. I told him I didn't want my wife to come up, so he said: 'OK, we'll do it some other way.'

## 'He's Mad at You,' Fungi Said

"I said: 'You'll do what?' He didn't answer. Later, Fungi told me: 'He's mad at you.'

"Then another thing happened. Fungi was sitting at a table in the dining room, a big glass table with three chairs on each side and one at each end. Fungi and Yack were talking. I could see Fungi through the kitchen door but Yack was on the couch, out of sight.

"Yack made a noise, 'Pssst, pssst. Like that. Fungi made a motion with his right hand (sticking out his trigger-finger and flexing it as if firing a gun). He held his hand under the table. He didn't think about the glass top. I seen him.'

"They started laughing but when I go in there they stop laughing and keep quiet.

"Yack was sleeping in the master

bedroom. Fungi and I were in the other two bedrooms. I couldn't sleep that night I opened my eyes in the dark and saw Yack standing in the hall outside my room, staring at me. There was a dim light in the hall so I could see him good, but he couldn't tell I was awake.

## She Has a Terrible Dream

"He looked at me and shook his head (from side to side). I thought, 'This guy's checking up to see if I'm here.' I didn't know what the hell to do.

"When I called my wife next day, she said: 'Joe, I had a terrible dream. I seen you standing full of blood. You had a white shirt on, full of blood. Are you all right?'

"I said: 'Sure I'm all right. Aren't you talking to me?'

"She said: 'Be careful.'

"A couple days later Joe Yack said, 'Sonny Red (Alphonse Indelicato) and a few other guys are coming up to take us to a new place. Will you tell your wife to come up to take the cars away?'

"A few guys? I said to myself, 'This is it. How dumb does he think I am?' This is three days I stood there knowing they're looking to kill me. I had a gun there. I don't know why I didn't shoot the two of them (Yack and Fungi).

"I said: 'Okay, Joe. I'll go call my wife.'

"I go down, get in the car and drive there. I don't know what the—to do.

## Grabs a Car and Flee

"I drove a few hours, then I called him up. He said: 'Where are you?' I said: 'Joe, I'm not coming back.' He said: 'Listen, come back before you do anything stupid.'

"I said: 'Joe, why you turned against me, I don't know. I loved you like a brother and you're doing this to me. Why? Because I love my wife and children?'

"Have I ever dishonored anybody? Have I ever broke the code (the underworld code of silence)? I always done what you told me.'

"He said: 'What are you gonna do?'

Joseph (Joe Yack) left his apartment in this Nyack building and was used as a hideout after the Gallo hit.

"I said: 'I don't know. I'm just taking off.'

Luparelli drove to Philadelphia, left his car at the airport and flew to California, where he visited his sister who had not seen him in nothing of his career.

"I called up my wife where I was at. She said, 'Joe, there's two cars full of men in the car. When I went to Korvette's, the car was full of men. The only reason they didn't kill me was because Korvette's was full of people.'

"What are they doing now?"

"Just sitting outside."

"I told her to stay in the car, keep the kids in, don't go nowhere. When I went to the FBI."

(TOMORROW: Joe Pesta surrenders and tries suicide to protect his family from mob vengeance).

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## A Mobster Talks

# Gallo a Swaggering Target

## but Hard to Kill

By PAUL MESKIL

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(Third of a series)

For Joseph (Joe Pesh) Luparelli, the killing of Crazy Joe Gallo was the crowning achievement of a crime career that began when he was 10 years old.

Snuffing Gallo wasn't easy. The Colombo gang stalked him for almost 10 months, from the day mob boss Joe Colombo was shot in June 1971 until the following April. Gallo escaped several Colombo traps and staggered about the city, always unarmed and often without a bodyguard, as if he hadn't a worry in the world.

He made new friends in show biz and literary circles and announced he was writing his memoirs. He even claimed to have gone straight, but he was meeting with black revolutionaries in an effort to form a new, integrated mob. On March 13, 1972, he married a shapely blonde divorcee, Diana Essary. Well-known actors and authors were among the wedding guests.

### Caught 'Em by Surprise

Two weeks later he attended a wake at a funeral home in the heart of Colombo territory in Brooklyn. Colombo soldiers among the mourners were so surprised that they made no attempt to bar him.

"We heard about that," Luparelli said during two days of secret talks with this reporter. "He was at the funeral home, at the Copa, at the Persian Room. He was all over the place. He even came into a social club at 122 Mulberry St. Joe the Wop's old place. Joe the Wop was a boss and he died. Another guy, George Argenta, took it over. He wasn't a boss or nothing; he just bought the place.

"Anyway, Joe Gallo came in and started shooting off his mouth. He said, 'I don't give a damn. I'll kill anybody who's in my way.' There was a lot of people there, Joe Curly, Frankie the Dog and others. If they lit any re-heat at all for Joe Yack (Yacovelli), comandante of the Colombo family and Luparelli's boss, they would have killed the son of a bitch right there."

Gallo was accompanied by his brother Albert (Kid Blast), his bodyguard, Peter (Pete the Greek) Dia-

Carmine (Sonny Pinto) Di Biase played a major role in the Gallo hit.

poulos and Gallo gangster Rosario (Roy-Roy) Musico. "They all showed guns except Joe, who was on parole and didn't pack a piece. George Argenta was dying to get away from him because he figured any minute bullets would be flying."

And within a few days, they were.

Late Friday night, April 7, Luparelli limped into

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# Gallo a Swaggering Target but Hard to Kill

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a Chinese restaurant at 91 Mulberry St., just south of Canal St. He was recovering from a leg operation and walked with a cane. He found Carmine (Sonny Pinto) Di Biase at the bar with Philip (Fat Fungi) Gambino, no relation to the Mafia superdon.

"Fungi had just come out of the can. He said, 'I went away, I stood in jail, I come out and this war's still going on.'"

After a few drinks with his friends, Luparelli went a block up the street to Umberto's Clam House, 129 Mulberry at Hester St. It was around 4 o'clock in the morning but Mulberry St. was wide awake.

"Matty the Horse (Matthew Ianiello, member of the former Genovese-Eboli mob) was there and we were talking when something happened outside. Johnny the Ice Man (another neighborhood character) was arguing with a uniformed cop. We went out to look.

"Then who drove up in a black Cadillac but Joe Gallo and Pete the Greek. Joe opens his Cadillac and says, 'How's the seafood—any good?' Matty the Horse says, 'Yeah, pretty good!'

Gallo had been celebrating his 43d birthday. After a champagne party at the Copacabana night club, he drove down to Little Italy with his bride; her 10-year-old daughter, Lisa Essary; Joe's sister, Carmela Fiorello; Peter the Greek, and Pete's date, Edith Russo.

"I never knew there was a kid in there," Luparelli said. "I only seen Gallo, Pete the Greek and the women. I never seen the kid. I turned my back when I recognized Gallo and the Greek. I didn't want them to get a hold of my face because I figure maybe Pete the Greek will know I'm with Joe Yack."

"I went back to 91 (the restaurant at 91 Mulberry). Sonny Pinto's still there. I says, 'Guess who's in the clam house? Un Paz (a nickname derived from the Italian words Un Pazzo, the Crazy One)!'

"Sonny says, 'Who Un Paz?'

"I says, 'Joe Gallo's in there.'

"He says, 'That bastard's got some nerve, coming into the neighborhood all the time. We're going to load up. We're going to hit him right now!'

"There were there two brothers in the place, Cisco and Benny. They worked for Sonny Franzese (a Colombo capo). Sonny Pinto spoke to them on the side and they went out. Then he spoke to me. I got a cane and can't do nothing on account of my leg. He says, 'All I want you to do is drive the backup car.'

"I said, 'What about this guy Fat Fungi?' He said, 'I don't want him to do nothing. He's on parole anyway.'

"The brothers came back with four guns. I think there was two .38s, a .32 and a .22 automatic. I gave the .22 back to the guy. It looked rusty, like it might b'ow up in my hand. Sonny says, 'Just stay with the car!'

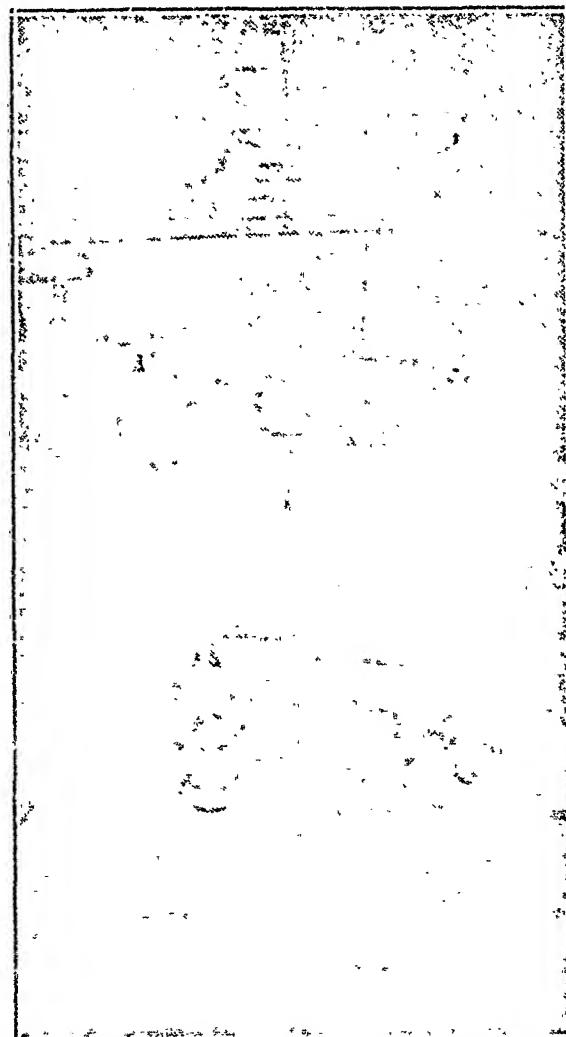
## Gallo Still There

Luparelli, Sonny Pinto, Fat Fungi and the two brothers drove to Umberto's around 5 a.m. in two cars. The Gallo party was still there, sitting at the butcher block in the side door.

"I know it was his wife and sister. I thought they was just broads.

"Sonny used his car. I used mine. I blocked off the middle of the intersection at Hester and Mulberry. Sonny and the brothers went in the side door on Mulberry St. and started firing at Gallo.

"Pete the Greek got shot in the ass when he



Gallo party sat at table in foreground at Umberto's Clam House when gunmen wished him happy birthday with death.

ducked under the table. He wasn't supposed to duck, but he did. Then everybody came running out. Sonny and the brothers jumped in his car and pulled away. Sonny did his own driving and everything. That's how crazy he was.

"Pete the Greek was firing at them. Pete went back in after he emptied out his pistol. Matty the Horse was hiding in the kitchen. He didn't know what was going on, but Pete the Greek thought he set it up. He went up to Matty and said, 'How could you do this in front of his wife and kid?'

with Fungi, and we could look right into the kitchen through the open door.

"Me and Fungi saw Joe Gallo come out the front entrance and stumble and fall in the middle of Hester St. near his Cadillac. His sister and wife and the kid were all screaming. Pete the Greek ran to Joe Gallo. Then Pete faltered, right on the street

"We all went back to 91. Sonny wanted to stay there and drink some more. He didn't think nothing of that he had just shot Joe Gallo. I said, 'Sonny, we can't stay here. We've got to get out of here.'

"We gave the brothers the guns so they get rid of them. We dropped them (the brothers) off at Centre Market and Grand, right near Polico Headquarters. Me and Sonny then drove his car and put it in front of his mother's house on Lafayette between Broome and Grand (about three blocks from Umberto's). It had a flat. A bullet had hit a rear tire. So we got into my car.

#### To Nyack Lying Down

Fungi and I sat in front. Sonny lay down on the back seat. We drove up to Nyack (where Joe Yack was staying in a riverside apartment building at 101 Gedney St.).

"Joe Yack was asleep when we got there. He didn't know a thing. When he opens the apartment door, Fungi says, 'We got him! We got him!'

"Yack says, 'Just a minute. Slow down. Let's get inside.'

"We went into the apartment and he says, 'Joe, what did you do when you came up here? Could you have been followed?'

"I says, 'I checked in back and all. I made sure we weren't tailed.'

"He says, 'OK, now tell me the story.'

"When he heard what happened, he kissed Sonny Pinto on the mouth. That's a sign of thanks for a killing. He says, 'In my heart I knew you were going to kill that son of a bitch.' Then he asked who else was there.

"I said, 'Matty, some people, a couple of broads, Pete the Greek.'

"He says, 'Pete the Greek? Is he dead?'

"Sonny says, 'I dunno. We shot at him too. He fell on the floor. He must be shot too.'

"Yack says, 'If he ain't dead, we're in trouble. That son of a bitch will go to jail and by accident, accidentally on purpose, he'll spill who done it. He'll tell it to somebody. Word will get out that you're the guy. The broads we aren't worried about. They don't know the faces. Pete the Greek is the only link in the chain that could get you.'

They turned on the radio and listened to an all-news station until they heard a bulletin saying Gallo had been shot.

"It don't mention he's dead. Joe Yack gets worried. This son of a bitch could be still alive," he says. "If he's alive we'll go to the hospital and kill him."

"Fat Fungi lay down on the rug. Sonny Pinto lay on the couch. I started making coffee. We was all quiet. Yack was walking up and down. He says, 'What cars did you use?'

"I said, 'I used mine, Sonny used his.'

"Your own cars?"

"Yeah."

"He says, You guys really cowboyled this. You think you're the Jesse James boys? What's wrong with you guys? Where's Sonny's car now?"

"It's in front of his mother's house. It's got a flat."

"It's got a bullet in it?"

"Yeah."

"Jesus Christ, you can't leave that — car there. Look, Joe, you're going to have to make a trip. Get the car, change the tire, drive it to John's place in Brooklyn and have him get it smashed up."

"John's a fish on the radio. To Gallo

(TOMORROW: Joe Pesh bolts the mob and breaks the code of silence.)

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## A Mobster Talks

# Colombo Shot, The War Is On

By PAUL MESKIL  
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"WHEN JOE COLOMBO got shot, everybody went into hiding. The war was on with Joe Gallo."

In those words, Joseph (Joe Pesh) Luparelli described the start of the Colombo-Gallo war—an annihilation contest that is still raging in Brooklyn more than three years after the Colombo hit.

Joe Pesh was in the center of the action. As the driver-bodyguard-courier of Joseph (Joe Yack) Yacovelli, consigliere of the Colombo crime clan and field marshal of the Colombo troops, he served at command headquarters and in the front lines. For a few brief days, he was a war hero. Then he went AWOL because he did not believe Gen. MacArthur's maxim that "old soldiers never die."

### Planned to Wipe Out Gallo

In two days of conversations with this reporter in a motel 1,000 miles from New York, Luparelli revealed that Joe Yack had planned to wipe out the entire Gallo gang. He also disclosed details of unsuccessful attempts to assassinate Gallo, who was finally slain "in a spur-of-the-moment thing."

About 11:30 a.m. on June 28, 1971, Colombo was shot three times in the head as he arrived at Columbus Circle for a Unity Day rally sponsored by his Italian-American Civil Rights League. As the gang boss fell, critically wounded, one of his supporters gunned down Colombo's assailant, a black gunman named Jerome A. Johnson. Johnson died instantly, his killer was never caught and there was nothing to link Johnson to Gallo. But the Colombo mob

ident St. like a bowling ball. I want everybody to see it. And that Mooney (Gallo captain John Cutrone)! I want to personally peel him like a banana."

Yack's tirade against Gallo made a lasting impression on Joe Pesh. "The way he grind his teeth," the ex-mobster recalls, "it looked like he would have ate him."

"I was up at Monticello (N.Y.) when Colombo got shot," Luparelli continued. "I heard it on the radio and I went down to Mulberry St. right away. Joe Yack and Junior (Carmine Persico) and a lot of Colombo's men were there. Joe Notch, Colombo's driver and bodyguard, told Joe Yack he'd go to President St. and shoot Gallo. He kept saying, 'Let me go. Let me go.'

### Told Him to 'Forget It'

"Yack told him to forget it. Then he went and told some other guy what he wanted to do and when Yack heard about it he said, 'Let him go if he wants to commit suicide.'

"Sonny Pinto (Carmine Di Biase) told me to take Joe Yack to my house. I was then living at 2070 20th Lane in Brooklyn. Yack stayed at my apartment while my wife and kids were in Monticello. From there on in, I was always with him. I had to drive him, guard him and stay with him."

"A few days later, Sonny Red (Alphonse Indelicato) got us a three-bedroom apartment on the ground floor of a building in Nyack (at 101 Gedney St. on the Hudson River). It had a doorman and boat dock and the guy who owned it (the apartment) kept a boat there."

said.

"Joe Yack told me, 'I want that bastard's head. I want to roll it down Pres-

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commission, the family heads, to talk to all the bosses and get some kind of order that it was all right for him to go after Joe Gallo. We used several different cars and we were never tailed.

"One night Joe went to meet O'Neill (Aniello Dellacroce, underboss to crime czar Carlo Gambino) at the Market Diner downtown on the West Side near the vegetable markets. I had two guns on me. Yack wouldn't hold a gun so that if we ever got arrested he'd be clean. O'Neill had someone with him who was packing a piece.

"Yack and O'Neill sat in a booth and talked while I watched the door to make sure no one came in to disturb them and make sure there were no Gallo guys around.

## Meeting With Gambino Set Up

"After the meeting Joe Yack told me he had to meet Carlo Gambino. He said, 'I want you to do everything right because I don't want nothing to go wrong. Of all things, I don't want no tail.'

"Next day we drove to the Howard Johnson's on Queens Blvd. We used my Oldsmobile. Vinnie Aioi (then acting boss of the Colombo family) drove up in a cream-colored Cadillac with his chauffeur. Two of Gambino's men picked them up in another car and drove off with a backup car following.

"When Yack came back a few hours later, he told me: 'I got the okay to smash the Gallo gang.' All the commission approved the contract on Joe Gallo."

## Death List Prepared

Luparelli said that Yack had prepared a death list of 17 Gallo hoods and associates. The list, headed by Crazy Joe and his brother, Kid Blast, included Mooney Cutrone, Frank (Punchy) Illiano, Rosario (Roy-Roy) Musico and Jerry Cipri.

"These were 17 guys he wanted killed. We had their pictures, names, addresses and places where they might be.

"Bozo (the Colombo family accountant) collected pictures of Gallo guys, taken at night clubs, weddings and things like that. Joe gave me the pictures and told me to keep them in a safe place. I put them in a big frame and put it behind a tapestry in my house.

## Ordered to Find Girl

"Joe Yack also got some pictures of the colored girl (who was seen in Columbus [sic] with Johnson's girl)

places and find out who is this girl. He wanted to get a hold of her so we could get the truth."

Luparelli could not find the girl but



Joe Yacovelli, Colombo consigliere, who got commission okay for slaying of Gallo and his associates.

"we got some information from a night club bouncer" who said he had seen the girl and Johnson talking to Joe Gallo's bodyguard, Pete the Greek, a few days before the shooting. So far as Yack was concerned, this clinched the case against Crazy Joe.

"We had got word that Joe Gallo was always with blacks in jail," Luparelli said. "When he got out, there was a lot of blacks going on President St. and asking for Joe Gallo and Kid Blast. From what we heard, Joe Gallo was forming a crew of black guys.

## 'Hit Was Out for Him'

"The word was out for all the families to stay away from Joe Gallo. He was declared an outlaw and the hit was out for him. Joe Yack told the commission that he would clean up the mess,

help."

Although he must have known about the contract, Gallo continued to visit his old haunts in Manhattan and Brook-

Jin, including Little Italy's popular Luna Restaurant, 112 Mulberry St.

"So we set up a hit at Luna's. We had two guys stationed outside Luna's, two crash cars, a backup car and a getaway car headed towards Canal St. to go over to Brooklyn. Three men were put in an apartment on Baxter St. (overlooking the restaurant entrance).

#### 'I Brought a Carbine'

"I brought a carbine up there and showed them where to wait until the order came to whack Gallo out. They stood in the apartment two, three days. One of the guys was fooling around with the carbine and a shot went off.

"It went through the wall and the Chinese man who lived next door started hollering. They had to run out of the apartment and that whole plan went down the drain.

"Then we heard Gallo hung out in the Village around Fifth Ave. and 11th St. We tried to set something up there, but he was too cautious.

#### 'Hit Him in Parole Office'

"Now Junior (Persico) came out with an idea: 'Why don't we hit him in the Parole Office?'

"I said, 'How are you going to get away in all the traffic?'

"He said, 'Don't worry. I'll use a motorcycle.'

The Parole Office is in the State Department of Correctional Services at 314 W. 40th St. near Eighth Ave., one of the busiest areas of New York.

"Junior said he'd do it himself with a shotgun," Luparelli continued. "Then he'd jump on the motorcycle and go. They put about 15 Colombo guys up near the Parole Office. Most of these guys were associates, not made guys (official Mafia members). There was nobody that Gallo knew but they all knew him. When Gallo was in jail, he lost contact with people's faces.

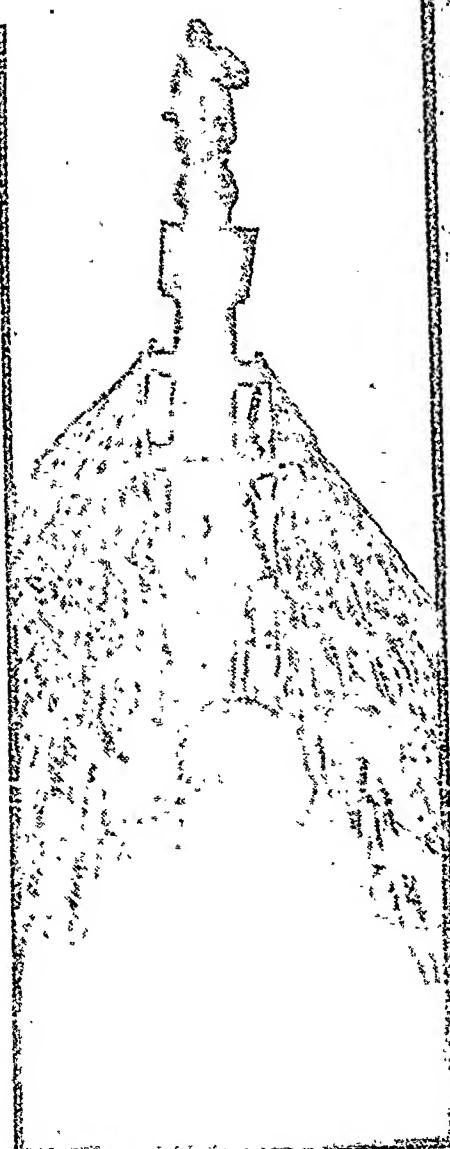
#### 'I'd Make Him Beg for Life'

"They had some cars laid around to foul up the traffic so Junior could get away after the hit. Joe Yack said: 'I hope to God they get this guy. I'd like to have him in my hands. I'd make him beg for his life. I want him to crawl. I'll actually (have a sexual orgasm) watching him die.'

The mob learned the date Gallo was scheduled to report to his parole officer.

"The call came (for the hit) but Gallo didn't show up. They waited another week but he didn't show up again. Then they called a meeting in a basement over in Brooklyn. A captain (Colombo capo Nick Bianco) came in and said Mooney wants a peace meeting in Junior's Restaurant on Flatbush Ave.

"Joe Yack says, 'Tell him we want



Joe Colombo stands in front of the explorer at Columbus Circle when assisting in planning of Italian-American Unity Day ceremony.

there, I want you to kill him right outside the place. If anybody gets in front of the gun, shoot through them.'

A few days later, Bianco reported to Yack at the Nyack hideout: "Mooney says Joe Gallo won't go to no meeting. He (Gallo) says do whatever you want, he don't give a f—."

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## A Mobster Talks:

# They're Out to Kill Me

(first of a series)

By PAUL MESKIL

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JOE PESH sat in a motel room a thousand miles from Mulberry St. and talked about his old New York mob and why it is out to kill him.

It was a chilling but oddly eloquent monologue, devoid of any emotion except when he recalled how he was ordered to kill his wife and how he tried to commit suicide to protect his family.

He talked about the murders he had done and seen, and of other awful incidents in his crime-crazed life. The highlight of his career was the execution of Crazy Joe Gallo. Joe Pesh put the finger of death on Crazy Joe and thereby, through an ironic twist of fate, put his own life in jeopardy.

The hunter is now the hunted.

Joe Pesh (a corruption of the Italian word "pesce") means Joe Fish. He was the nickname of Joseph Luparelli, a small fish who swam with the killer sharks of the dark underworld sea. He doesn't use either name any more. He has a new identity, a new life and the first honest job he has ever held.

A journeyman hood, he was born in Manhattan's Little Italy about 40

years ago. Starting out as a truant, street tough and petty thief, he became a burglar, fence and loan shark. Then he found steady employment as chauffeur, bodyguard, courier and enforcer for the sinister Joseph (Joe Yack) Yacobelli, consigliere (counselor) of the Joe Colombo crime family and one of the most powerful Mafia executives.

### Joe Breaks His Silence

Luparelli first contacted this reporter about a year ago, while he was in federal custody as a witness in several cases involving organized crime. After several phone conversations, months apart, he finally consented to tell his story to The News.

During two days of secret interviews in a city far from New York, he described his life in mobland, the circumstances leading to the Gallo rubout and his own escape from a similar termination. This is the first time that the full story of the Gallo slasher, the assassination attempts that preceded it and its bizarre aftermath has been told for publication by one of the leading participants. Among other things, Luparelli also disclosed details of a ghoulish episode that might be called the Case of the Transferred Corpse.

In the spring, clan was busy as to Colombo, the stock a yearning for resuming the FBI office preparing for a big American Civil War.

Joe Yack had to take part in lead. "I didn't want a while I was chauvinistic," he said. "Colombo agents eyes on Joe Gallo, from prison in N. I. resumed the lead. South Brooklyn run by his son, which had been that, Kid Blue, while he was away.

### A Fatal Mistake

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hustlers, not connected to any mob," Luparelli recalls. "They were around sticking up card games and shaking down whores, pimps and hotel thieves. They got a hold of Joe Yack's brother, Frankie, and took him into a Times Square hotel room and demanded money from him. They beat him and tortured him. They shot him up close with a blank pistol that blew holes in his skin and burned him all over with powder burns.

"Joe Yack told me the story. He says, 'I want these three guys.' I went looking for them and finally located Joe Wagon Wheels in the Peppermint Lounge. He used to work in the Wagon Wheel bar as a bouncer, and I knew he was a dealer in stolen travelers' checks.

"He didn't know I was with Joe Yack. I showed him a blank traveler's check and said I had plenty of them. I said, 'Could you move these?' He said, 'Yes. I know a guy who's very interested in that paper.' So we set up a appointment for the next day.

"I picked him up on the corner of Sixth Ave. and 45th St. and drove him downtown to where everybody was waiting. They were in an apartment on Elizabeth St. between Greene and Grand. There was Joe Yack, Sonny Pinto (Carmine Di Biasio), Sonny Red (Anthony Indelicato), Sonny Red's brother J.B., and a couple other guys.

"I walked Wagon Wheels in, following him. When the door shut, J.B. pulled out a gun. Sonny Red grabbed him (Wagon Wheels) around the neck. I also grabbed him. We threw him face down on the kitchen floor.

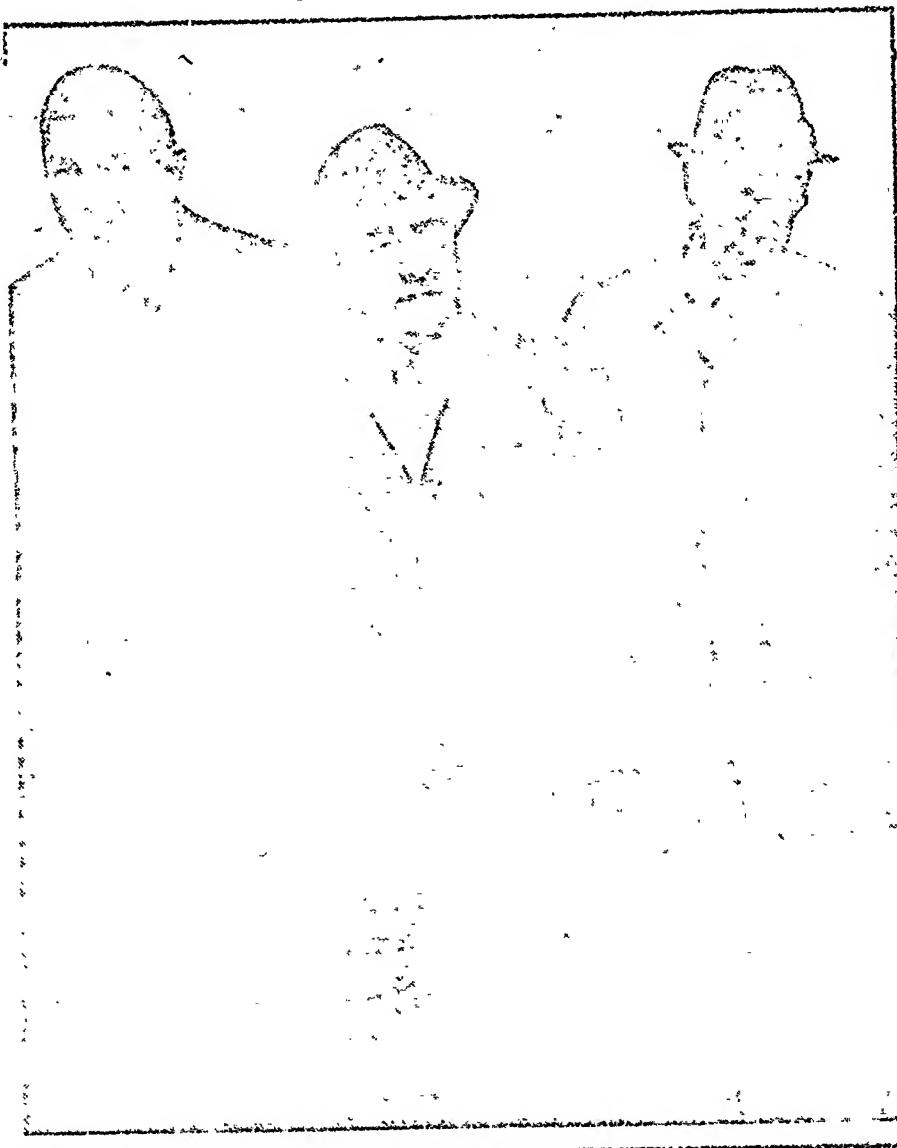
## The End of Wagon Wheels

"Joe Yack came in with an ice pick and started jabbing him in the back while we were holding him. The ice pick got stuck in his spine and they had knock it loose with a gun butt. Then I got a wire and put it around his neck. He was still kicking. His foot banged on the floor and Sonny Pinto thought someone was knocking on the door.

"We held him down about 15 minutes before he stopped. Then we stood there and watched him to make sure he ain't going to jump up. Yack kicked him in the face a few times. The ice pick had punctured the kidneys and liver, but there was hardly any blood. Only a spot about the size of a quarter on his shirt.

"After it was over, we left him on the floor and went out, one and two at a time, a few minutes apart. We went to a bar and had a drink and talked. Then Yack said, 'Go back and

He was so stiff I couldn't bend him. He was a big guy, about 6 foot, 190 pounds. I tied his hands and feet and put him in two big zippered plastic bags—the kind for a human being to be put in. We put him in there, zippered up the bags and washed the floor.



Pesh put the finger on Crazy Joe Gallo  
at Umberto's... now the finger is on him

Joe Pesh was a man of all work for

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thought he was gone for good. Then Joe Yack told me to go to the garage and dig a hole for him.

"I said, 'I thought it's all over w<sup>th</sup> this guy. What's he doing, walking around yet?'" He buried the body.

Luparelli said he buried the body in the basement of a garage on Elizabeth St. between Kenmare and Broome Sts. After he surrendered to the FBI a year later, detectives and federal agents dug up the basement floor—but the mob had moved Wagon Wheel's again. Investigators later found the corpse—minus the head and hands—in a shallow grave in New Jersey.

"They chopped off his head and hands so nobody could identify him," Luparelli said. "But I remembered the kind of clothes he wore when he was killed, and those clothes were still on him."

(Wagon Wheels was identified as Joseph Viscovi. To date, no one has been charged with his murder.)

After Wagon Wheels was planted in the garage basement, Yack ordered his men to "find the other two guys."

"I hunted them all over town," Leparelli said, "but I never did find them. While all this was going on, the Joe Gallo stuff started. Joe Yack never did like Gallo.

## **Body Removal Experts**

"I told Yack what we done and he says, 'Good. I'll call Junior (Carmine Persico, a notorious Colombo capo) and have him and his men come down there to move him out.'

Junior arrived an hour later with his brother, Alphonse; his bodyguard, Hugh (Apples) McIntosh, and two other Colombo soldiers. They hauled Joe Wagon Wheels down to a stolen car and tried to stuff him in the trunk, but he wouldn't fit, so they laid him on the back seat and drove him to Brooklyn.

"McIntosh and another guy took the car to Brooklyn. I followed in another car. We left the hot car with Wagon Wheels in it somewhere on Park Ave. under the viaduct (under the Brooklyn-Queens Expressway). We locked the car, threw the keys away and went back to New York."

For several days, Yack's crew listened to the news broadcasts and read the papers. Nobody mentioned the bag-wrapped body. The cops hadn't found it. Yack finally dispatched two soldiers to Brooklyn to retrieve the corpse and bury it. They transferred Wagon Wheels to another stolen car—one with a trunk big enough to hold him—and drove him to a lonely section of Sheepshead Bay. As they were digging a grave, a passerby stopped to watch. So the hood took their silencer and rolled Wagon Wheels back to Little Italy.

"This was about two weeks after we crossed him," Louis said.

### *Veterans of Gallo War*

"Yack and Junior were soldiers in the old Profaci crew during the first war with the Gallos (in the early 1960s). When Joe Profaci died and Colombo became boss, he made peace, and then he made Joe Yack and Junior captains.

"Them and their men were enforcers for the family. They were the youngest captains to be made and Yack became the youngest ~~captain~~ <sup>enforcer</sup> they ever had. One time he told Colombo he wanted to have Joe Gallo killed in jail. He said, 'If this guy comes out, we'll have a lot of trouble.' Colombo said, 'No we won't.'

"When Colombo got shot, Yack said, 'I told him Galle would cause trouble. If he'd listened to me, he wouldn't be a vegetable now.'"

He then talked about his own

the last of seven children. When I was a kid, the icemen worked out of a cellar near my house. They sold blocks of ice to people who had iceboxes. I saw two guys shot down in broad daylight near the ice cellar when I was about 7. My mother came and took me away.

"I was a problem child. I wasn't able to sit still in a chair or anything. I was sort of a rough kid, and I didn't like to stay in school. We'd play hooky, go to a movie on the Bowery. Finally they sent me to what they called 'crime school.' PS 37 on 83d St. For truant children, kids in trouble. Once you got in school they'd lock all the doors and only open them up at 3 o'clock. If you were out of order, the teacher would slap you in the face.

### An Early and Bad Start

"When I was 11 or 12, I worked as a runner for numbers and bets. I would bring envelopes full of money and bets from one person to another. For this I got 40 cents a day. After work, I used to go to the vegetable market on Mott St., steal some fruit, and then go to the public pool on Pitt St. Everybody from Mulberry St. would be swimming there in the summer.

"I knew Joe Yack and Sonny Pinto in those days. They were older than me. One day when I was about 13, I stabbed a 26-year-old guy who cursed my sister. A traffic cop came running over and took the knife off me and locked me up. I went to Youth Haven. The guy survived and withdrew charges, but they held me anyway.

"They finally let me out on probation to attend school. I kept breaking all the rules they gave me, and, after a while, I just got too old to be a delinquent."

On the night of Dec. 27, 1951, Luparelli encountered Sonny, Futo and Sonny's best friend, Michael (Mickey Evans) Errichello, in the Atlantic Social Club. Sonny told Luparelli and another neighborhood youth to go home. When they had left, he followed and shot

with the gun out," Luparelli recalls. "No sooner than I went out the door, Sonny started shooting at him. I ran across the street to my house, ran upstairs, looked out the window. I didn't see nothing, so I went to bed. Next morning my mother said, 'They killed Mikey Evans last night.'"

Sonny hid out for seven years, during which he made the FBI's most-wanted list. He finally surrendered and was convicted of murder and sentenced to die in the electric chair, but was acquitted at a second trial. He is now on the lam again.

Shortly after Mikey Evans was killed, Joe Pesh was picked up for burglary and sent to Elmira Reformatory. "I made parole, and, after I was out about eight months, I was arrested for another burglary, and for this I got a year on Rikers Island.

### The Forty Thieves

"When I got out I was with a bunch of guys they called the Forty Thieves. We were burglars. No stickups; I never went on a stickup. I was strictly a second-story man. We hit stores, warehouses, factories. We went after safes, jewelry and merchandise.

"My job was mostly as an in man—to get the rest of the crew into the place. I was lighter then. It was easy for me to scale 10-story buildings on the ledges or climb down on a rope from the roof or jump from one roof to another.

"Later on, I did some shylocking in Little Italy. I shylocked Chinese and bartenders, some business guys, guys in the neighborhood. This was my own business, I drew \$200 a week from the family fund. If any deals went through, I had a piece of it."

Luparelli said he has known Yack "all my life," but started working for him only about 10 years ago.

"I was told to do it (to be his chauffeur-bodyguard). Sonny Pinto said, 'You've got to do it.' He (Yack) needed a place to go (while he was ducking a subpoena) so I took him to my place in Brooklyn while my family was out of town. He decided to pick me out of all the guys. I was the only guy available at that time.

"Joe Yack was a made man (an initiated member of the Mafia). I wasn't made because the (membership) books were closed then. But I was almost as good as made when traveling with Joe. I had more power than many regular made guys. Because I was with Joe, they had less to say then I had. I was bringing orders and messages that usually a made guy would do. So I was like being made, but not officially."

### A Mini-Mob

He added that Joe Yack surrounded himself with his old Mulberry St. pals, "a family within a family," including some who weren't members of the Colombo clan. "Joe Yack didn't trust made guys," his former employe said.

Luparelli admitted that he had been involved in "five or six" murders and that he had shot three men, two of whom survived.

Asked about his choice of weapons, he said: "I like a .32, a three-inch, not a snubnose and not a long barrel. A Smith & Wesson. I had a few of them. But there were times I used a .38. They come off the piers or off hijacked trucks.

"We bought some CIA-issue guns (stolen from a shipment to or from the Central Intelligence Agency). Machine guns, silencers and everything. The latest stuff. They sold for \$1,700 for a machine gun or \$700 for a regular gun with a silencer. Sonny Red, Joe Yack and I all bought guns. I got an automatic pistol with silencer.

"We went to my mother's house, where I had about nine guns, and I fired one off in the living room into two phone books to see what kind of noise it was. My mother was in the next room, and she never heard a thing. Sonny Red told me, 'the machine gun works just as good. It sounds like pins falling on the floor.' These guns were great."

"Tomorrow: 'The shot heard round the underworld.'



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-7006) P\*

DATE: 12/16/74

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELCATO, aka  
AR

Attached are five (5) articles from the NY Daily News (from 11/24 thru 11/28/74) regarding interview of [redacted] and his statements regarding Lower Manhattan [conf]igures.

Subject Indelcato appears in several of the above articles

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE:

DEC 30 1974

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

12/20/74

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka; AR; OO:NY

## Purpose and results of contact

 NEGATIVE POSITIVE On 12/20/74, source advised that [redacted] STATISTICb6  
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b7D POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN (Ghetto only)Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information? NO Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

Coverage

92-7006-131

## PERSONAL DATA

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*Memorandum*

JAN 21 1975

TO: SAC [redacted]

DATE:

FROM: SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact:

1/17/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information).

NY 92-7006 ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka; AR

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE On 1/17/75, source advised that [redacted]  
 STATISTIC [redacted]

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN.

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information? NO

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.	Coverage 92-7006-132
PERSONAL DATA 1-92-7006 1- TECIP	R [Signature] 56 JAN 21 1975
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 2/3/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

1/31/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-7006 - ALPHONSE INDELLICATO, AR

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised that [redacted]

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information? NO Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

Coverage

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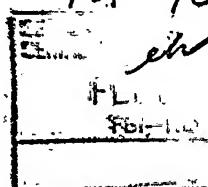
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## PERSONAL DATA

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*Memorandum*

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 2/11/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

2/5/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)  
NY 92-654 SUB C

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
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 STATISTIC

[redacted][redacted]

stated that [redacted]

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b7D POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVENHas informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information? C No Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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(1) - 92-654 SUB C

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[redacted] viewed numerous photographs  
of members and associates of [redacted]

[redacted] He stated that [redacted]

[redacted] [redacted] stated that [redacted]  
[redacted]

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC

DATE: FEB 12 1975

FROM : SA

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SUBJECT:

## Dates of Contact

2/11/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

76-5590  
92-3883  
92-911

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised on

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

No

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Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

## PERSONAL DATA

1 - 76-5590 (Sec. 25)  
 1 - 92-3883 (Sec. 53)  
 (2) - 92-4114 (Sec. 52)  
 1 - 92-911 (Sec. 54)   
 1 - 92-1308 (Sec. 52)  
 1 - TECIP

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Source advised on [Redacted]

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Source advised on [Redacted]

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Source advised on [Redacted]

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 2/26/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

Dates of Contact

2/20/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

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Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

ALPHONSE INDELICATO  
AR  
NY 92-7006

Informant advised that [redacted]

POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

No

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Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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[redacted]  
**Informant stated that** [redacted]  
[redacted]

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 3/4/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

2/20/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

NY 92-7006 SONNY RED INDELICATO

[redacted]  
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## Purpose and results of contact:

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised writer and SA [redacted]

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

NO

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

Coverage

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*Memorandum*

TO : SAC

DATE:

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FROM : SA

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SUBJECT:

Dates of Contact 4/14/75

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Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

On 4/14/75,  advised that 

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

No

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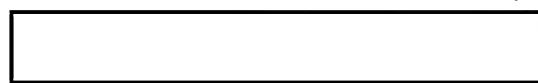
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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN NEW YORK	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 2/19/74 - 4/28/75
TITLE OF CASE ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka		REPORT MADE BY	TYPED BY
		CHARACTER OF CASE AR	

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b7CREFERENCE:

NYrep of SA [redacted] 10/29/73.  
 NYlets, dated 2/19/74 and 9/30/74.

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5/5/74

ADMINISTRATIVE

The period of this report is extensive as this report includes information received while this matter was pending inactive.

This matter is being placed in a closed status as subject has never been definitely identified as a member of LCN and information indicates he is a narcotics dealer wellknown to DEA.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE	ACQUIT-TALS	CASE HAS BEEN
CONVIC.	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES			
							PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
							PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

APPROVED	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN SPACES BELOW	
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 (1-92-654-Sub C)

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INFORMANTS:

Identity of Source

NY T-1

NY T-2

NY T-3

NY T-4

NY T-5

NY T-6

NY T-7

Contacting Agent

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Report of:

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Field Office File #:

Title:

Office: New York, New York

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92-7006

Bureau File #: 92-14351

ALPHONSE INDELICATO

Character:

ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis:

Subject continues to reside 113 Elizabeth Street,  
NYC.

mentioned as associates of subject. Subject's trial in Manhattan for perjury, stemming from JOE GALLO murder investigation still pending.

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DETAILS:A. Personal History and Background1. Residence

On April 28, 1975, [redacted] New York State Parole, 314 West 40th Street, New York City, advised that subject continues to reside at 113 Elizabeth Street, New York City.

Sources contained herein have furnished reliable information in the past except where otherwise noted.

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2. Relatives

On September 30, 1974, NY T-1 advised that [redacted]

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On December 20, 1974, NY T-1 advised that [redacted]

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On January 17, 1975, NY T-2 advised that [redacted]

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On May 30, 1974, NY T-3 advised that [redacted]

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On February 19, 1974, [redacted] New York  
State Parole, advised that [redacted] is in [redacted]

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On June 11, 1974, NY T-1 advised that [redacted]

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On February 2, 1974, NY T-1 advised that [redacted]

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B. Associates

On November 21, 1974, NY T-1 advised that [redacted]

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On May 30, 1974, NY T-3 advised that [redacted]

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C. Criminal Activity

Subject was indicted for perjury on December 13, 1972, by Manhattan Grand Jury, New York City, stemming from JOE GALLO murder investigation.

On April 28, 1975, [redacted] New York State Parole, 314 West 40th Street, New York City, advised that subject's case for perjury is still pending. He continues to report for trial whenever his case is called but the District Attorney keeps postponing the trial.

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On January 31, 1975, NY T-4 advised that subject [redacted]

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On July 10, 1974, NY T-5 advised that subject [redacted]

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On February 20, 1975, NY T-6 advised that subject

[redacted]

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On April 14, 1975, NY T-7 advised that subject

[redacted]

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D. Miscellaneous

On December 5, 1974, [redacted] NY State Parole, 314 West 40th Street, New York City, advised as follows:

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INDELICATO was brought into his office on December 4, 1974, to answer questions pertaining to the [redacted] articles that appeared in the New York Daily News the last week of November. [redacted] stated that INDELICATO stated that the information in the News was completely false and INDELICATO refused to answer any further questions in that he was indicted for the very same thing that appeared in the News.

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INDELICATO was recently given permission to visit [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] On December 5, 1974. INDELICATO visited [REDACTED] and left [REDACTED] which is registered to [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Date of Birth (DOB) [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] New York, on [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] license expires March, 1978. She is five feet one inch and has brown eyes.

[REDACTED] stated that when they picked up INDELICATO they had a search warrant and searched his apartment at 113 Elizabeth Street, New York City. The following phone numbers were in INDELICATO's possession (also addresses):  
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] also made available a copy of what appears to be a wedding or shower list seized from INDELICATO's apartment.

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E. Hangouts

On January 31, 1975, NY T-4 advised that "SONNY RED" [redacted]

On April 14, 1975, NY T-7 advised that subject and [redacted]

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC

DATE:

5/28/75

FROM : SA

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SUBJECT:

## Dates of Contact

5/22/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-7006 - ALPHONSE INDELICATO, AR  
  
  
  

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

ALPHONSE INDELICATO  
AR  
NY 92-7006

Informant advised that

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Informant stated that

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

No

 Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## PERSONAL DATA

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ASSISTANT

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SAC (92-6690 Sub C)

SA [redacted]

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AR [redacted]

SAS [redacted] On 6/5/75, [redacted] was interviewed by [redacted] and advised [redacted]  
as follows:

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[redacted] identified the following photographs:

1. [redacted]

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2. [redacted]

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3. [redacted]

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1 - 91-13079  
1 - 92- [redacted] (SUFFOLK COUNTY CONTROL FILE)  
1 - 92-4260 [redacted]  
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4. "SONNY RED" INDELICATO

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-6690 SUB B)

DATE: MAY 22 1975

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

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Attached hereto is information furnished by [redacted]

while [redacted] has been introduced into the witness protection program and is being interviewed by SAS [redacted] and [redacted]

Should information from [redacted] be desired, a memo should be addressed to New York file 92-6690 SUB B requesting same.

It is requested that results achieved from investigation based upon [redacted] information be furnished by memo to New York file 92-6690 SUB B.

CAUTION: NONE OF THE ATTACHED INFORMATION SHOULD BE DISSEMINATED OUTSIDE OF THE BUREAU NOR BE PUT IN THE DETAILS OF THE REPORT, NOR SHOULD THE FACT THAT [redacted] IS COOPERATING BE DIVULGED OUTSIDE THE BUREAU WITHOUT THE EXPRESSED AUTHORIZATION OF SUPERVISOR [redacted] SECTION 56.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-6690) (Sub C)

DATE: 6/12/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]  
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On 6/9/75, [redacted] was interviewed by SAS [redacted] and advised [redacted] as follows regarding [redacted] (He was shown photos of the below subjects)

[redacted] advised that [redacted]

[redacted] He advised that [redacted]

[redacted] He advised that [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted]

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan.

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He advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
He advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
He advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
He advised that [redacted]

[redacted] He advised that [redacted]

[redacted] He advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
He advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
He advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
He advised that [redacted]

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He advised that SONNY "RED" TINDELL TALKED [redacted]

He advised that [redacted]

He advised that [redacted]

He advised that [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted]

He advised that [redacted]

He advised that [redacted]

He advised that [redacted]

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He advised that [redacted]  
[redacted]

He advised that he does not know the following  
people:



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# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-6690 SUB B)

DATE: MAY 22 1975

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]  
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Attached hereto is information furnished by [redacted]

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[redacted] has been introduced into the witness protection program and is being interviewed by SAS [redacted] and [redacted]

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Should information [redacted] desired, a memo should be addressed to New York file 92-6690 SUB B requesting same.

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MAY 22 1975  
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 8-4-75

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FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

Date of Contact: 8-4-75

File #s on which contacted (use Title of File if no available or when CI provides positive information)

182-7745	92-2691
92-2771	92-4328
92-1388	92-7006
92-1615	
92-2479	

Purpose and results of contact

 NEGATIVE POSITIVE STATISTIC

Information herein obtained confidentially.  
 Informant's name or symbol number is not to be disclosed in a report or otherwise, unless it has been decided that source is to be a witness in a trial or hearing.

It is noted that source will not testify under any circumstances.

## POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVN (Ghetto only)

Informant is known to be unreliable due to emotional instability, unreliability or tendency to exaggerate.

Informant is known to have furnished all information obtained by him since last interview, including information concerning narcotics.

## PERSONAL DATA

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Date of transcription

A source who has furnished reliable information in the past furnished the following information on 8/4/75:

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Source related [Redacted]

[Redacted]

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Source furnished the names of the following individuals who [Redacted]

[Redacted]

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SOMY BED INDICATO

Source advised [Redacted]

[Redacted]

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b7DInterviewed on 8/4/75 at New York, New York File # NY 182-\*by SA [Redacted]b6  
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Date dictated

8/5/75

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE NEW YORK	OFFICE OF ORIGIN NEW YORK	DATE 9/15/75	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 5/22 - 9/10/75
TITLE OF CASE  ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka		REPORT MADE BY [Redacted]	TYPED BY
		CHARACTER OF CASE AR	

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b7CREFERENCESNY report of SA [Redacted]  
dated 4/30/75.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

This case was closed by the NYO on 4/30/75, inasmuch as subject had never been positively identified as a member of LCN. This case was reopened on 6/10/75 in view of subject's possible involvement in gambling matters with known LCN members. Therefore, the information received prior to re-opening of this case is being included as part of the investigative period.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE	ACQUIT-TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
CONVIC.	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES			PENDING OVER ONE YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
							PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

APPROVED: *JH*SPECIAL AGENT  
IN CHARGE

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ADMINISTRATIVE (cont'd)

On 6/5/75, [redacted]  
currently [redacted] was interviewed  
by SAS [redacted]  
at which time he stated that [redacted]

INFORMANTS

Identity of Source

NY T-1 is [redacted]

NY T-2 is [redacted]

Contacting Agent

SA [redacted]

SA [redacted]

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NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Conduct logical AR  
investigation to determine subject's illegal activities.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

1 - USA, SDNY  
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b7CReport of:  
Date:[redacted]  
9/15/75

Office: New York, New York

Field Office File #:

92-7006

Bureau File #: 92-14351

Title: ALPHONSE INDELICATO

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis: Subject continues to reside at 113 Elizabeth Street, NYC. Subject may be involved in dice game at 156 Mott Street, NYC. Subject's father died 7/29/75.

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DETAILS:Residence

On September 4, 1975, [redacted] New York State Parole Office, 314 West 40th Street, New York, New York, advised that subject continues to reside at 113 Elizabeth Street, New York City. He stated that subject hangs around the vicinity of Grand and Elizabeth Streets and can be seen either at JO-Al Botique, 218 Grand Street, or at any of a number of social clubs in the area. [redacted] stated he is usually on the streets from noon well on into the evening and is not known to travel far from his residence.

[redacted] also stated he believes the subject is involved in drugs, and is interested in obtaining specific information regarding this in view of subject's lifetime parole status.

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On August 25, 1975, a surveillance was conducted in the vicinity of 113 Elizabeth Street, New York City. There was no sign of ALPHONSE INDELICATO. A check of the mailboxes at the above address produced the following names:

Apartment                    Name

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No attempt was made to contact the subject.

Relatives

On September 10, 1975, information produced by SC [redacted] at the New York City Death Records indicates ANTHONY INDELICATO, date of birth February 16, 1900, Italy, died on July 29, 1975 at Mount Sinai Hospital, New York. Address for ANTHONY INDELICATO was given as 115 Elizabeth Street, New York City. His wife's name was listed as GUSSIE nee CATANIA.

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Miscellaneous

On May 22, 1975, NY T-1 advised that [redacted]

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Informant stated that he had heard that [redacted]

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On August 4, 1975, NY T-2 advised [redacted]

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NY 92-7006

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Source related [redacted]

Source furnished the names of the following individuals [redacted]

[redacted]  
SONNY RED INDELICATO

Source advised [redacted]

On August 21, 1975, a check with the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles indicated no current driver's license or any vehicles in the subject's name.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

DATE: 9/22/75

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Dates of Contact:

9/21/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-7006

15-60967

Purpose and results of contact:

- NEGATIVE
- POSITIVE
- STATISTIC

Source advised that [redacted]

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN (Ghetto only)

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

NO

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC

DATE: SEP 9 1975

FROM : SA

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SUBJECT:

## Dates of Contact

9/3/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-7006 ALFONSE "SONNY RED" INDELICATO

88-14194 CARMINE DI BIASE

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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
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 STATISTIC

Source advised that he recently learned that  
SONNY RED INDELICATO

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

no

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## PERSONAL DATA

1-92-6939  
 1-92-7006  
 1-88-14194  
 1-TECIP

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC

DATE: 9/22/75

FROM : SA

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SUBJECT:

## Dates of Contact

9/22/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-7184

92-7006

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

On 9/22/75,  advised that b6  
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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

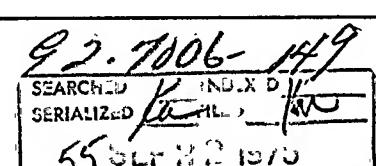
No

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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PERSONAL DATA  
 1 - 92-7184  
 1 - 92-7006

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 11/14/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

11/10/75

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #'s not available or when CI provides positive information)

29-1190092-727992-1097

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Informant advised that [redacted]

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<input type="checkbox"/> POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN	[redacted]
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Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

No

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## PERSONAL DATA

1 - 29-11900  
 1 - 92-7279-7006  
 1 - 02-1097

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[redacted]

Informant furnished [redacted]

[redacted]

Informant stated that [redacted]

[redacted]

Informant stated [redacted]

[redacted]

SONNY "RED" INDELICATO  
AK 7-06  
NY 92-7279

Informant was questioned regarding [redacted]

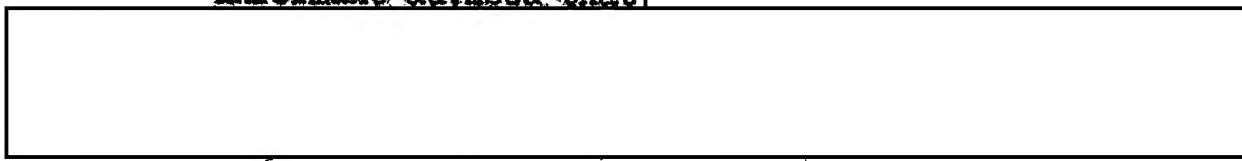
Informant advised [redacted]

[redacted]

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**Informant advised that**



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# Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE:

NOV 26 1975

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)  
**NY 92-7006, "ALPHONSE INDELICATO; AR"**b6  
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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

On 11/24/75, [redacted] advised that [redacted]

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Source further advises that "SONNY RED"

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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92-7006-151

## PERSONAL DATA

1 - 92-7006  
 1 - 92-7379  
 1 - TECIP

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Source states that "SONNY RED" [redacted]

[redacted]  
Source advised he will attempt to obtain more information  
on the above.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (92-7006), (P)

DATE: 12/17/75

FROM : SA [redacted]

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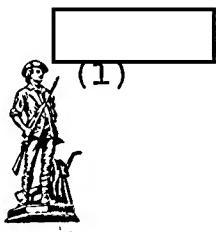
SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
AR

Surveillances were conducted in the area of 113  
Elizabeth Street on the following dates without any sign of  
the subject: 12/3, 12/8, and 12/17/75.

On 12/17/75, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that he recognised a  
photograph of the subject [redacted]

[redacted] He stated he was unaware of any of  
the subject's activities.



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TITLE OF CASE ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka		REPORT MADE BY [Redacted]	TYPED BY
		CHARACTER OF CASE AR	

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NY report of SA [Redacted] dated 9/15/75.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

This case is being closed inasmuch as investigation and informant contacts have failed to disclose that the subject is involved in criminal activities of a nature sufficient to warrant federal investigation.

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ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED					NONE	ACQUIT-TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
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							PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO

APPROVED

SPECIAL AGENT  
IN CHARGE

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COPIES MADE:

3- Bureau (92-14351)  
 1- USA, SDNY  
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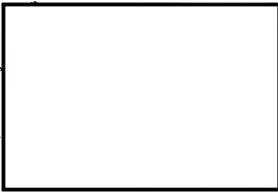
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INFORMANTS

Identity of Source

NY T-1 is  
NY T-2 is  
NY T-3 is  
NY T-4 is  
NY T-5 is



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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Copy to: 1- USA, SDNY  
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Report of: [redacted] b6 Office: New York, New York  
Date:

Field Office File #: 92-7006 Bureau File #: 92-14351

Title: ALPHONSE INDELICATO

Character: ANTI-RACKETEERING

Synopsis: Subject continues to reside at 113 Elizabeth Street, NYC. No indication subject is involved in substantial criminal activity.

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DETAILS:

On September 21, 1975, NY T-1 advised that [redacted]

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NY T-2 advised on September 3, 1975, that he learned that SONNY RED INDELICATO [redacted]

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On September 22, 1975, NY T-3 advised that [redacted]

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On November 10, 1975, NY T-4 advised that [redacted]

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On November 24, 1975, NY T-5 advised that [redacted]

Source further advised that SONNY RED [redacted]

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As of January 5, 1976, NY T-5 did not have any  
further information concerning [redacted]

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On December 1, 1975, SA [redacted] advised  
that in September, 1975, the New York Police raided the game  
going on at 156 Mott Street, but that SONNY RED INDELICATO  
was not at the game and there was no evidence SONNY RED had any  
part of it.

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On December 1, 1975, NY T-1 advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
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NY 92-7006

Inasmuch as [redacted]

[redacted] information given by NY T-1  
was disseminated to the New York City Police Department by  
SA [redacted]

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Surveillances were conducted in the area of 113  
Elizabeth Street on the following dates without any sign of  
the subject:

December 3  
December 8  
December 17, 1975

On December 17, 1975, [redacted]  
[redacted] advised that he recognized  
a photograph of the subject [redacted].  
[redacted] He stated he was  
unaware of any of the subject's activities.

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*Memorandum*

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 1/15/76

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FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

Dates of Contact

1/9/76

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-2300 LCN Activities

Purpose and results of contact

92-7006-83

NEGATIVE  SONNY RED INDELICATO  
 POSITIVE  AR  
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On 1/9/76, [redacted] advised that [redacted]  
[redacted]

Source advised [redacted]

Above information as written is singular in nature and not to be disseminated as written.

POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

NO

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.	Coverage
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## PERSONAL DATA

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 2/5/76

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

1/29,30,2/3,4/5/76

## File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-7006

92-2479

92-2691

92-2922

92-4328

92-3935

182-New

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source contacted and furnished the following information concerning [redacted]

[redacted]
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Source stated the following individuals [redacted]

[redacted]
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Source related that [redacted]

He will furnish further info. [redacted]

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability or furnishing false information? [redacted]

NO

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## PERSONAL DATA

1-92-7006	1-92-2922	1-182-New
1-92-2479	1-92-4328	
1-92-2691	1-92-3935	

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC  
SAC, NY [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

DATE:

3/12/76

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## Dates of Contact

3/10/76

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-2300

92-7006

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised on 3/10/76 that he had ascertained that  
 Sonny Red Indelicato [redacted]

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b7D POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

NO

 Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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92-7006-156

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## PERSONAL DATA

1-92-2300  
1-92-7006 (c)  
1-TECIP

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*Memorandum*

TO : SAC NEW YORK [redacted]

DATE: 4/2/76

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

3/31/76

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

[redacted]	[redacted]
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## Purp [redacted]

SONNY RED INDELICATO  
AR  
NY 92-7006

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

PC advised that [redacted]

 POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

NO.

 Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## PERSONAL DATA

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE:

3/22/76

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

3/22/76

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-2300

92-7006

92-5822

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised on 3/22/76 that Alphonse Indelicato aka Sonny Red (NY 92-7006.)

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POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

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Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## PERSONAL DATA

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# Memorandum

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FROM:

SA

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SUBJECT:

Dates of Contact

4/29/76

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-2300 (LCN CONSPIRACY)

92- (ALPHONSE INDELICATO; AR)

Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE

POSITIVE

STATISTIC

Source advised he recently heard that ALPHONSE INDELICATO

Source advised that

Source said that

POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information? No

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

PERSONAL DATA

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Source advised that [redacted]  
[redacted]

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**Memorandum**

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 5/19/76

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FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact.

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File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised that [redacted]

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 POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN.

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

no

 Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

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## Dates of Contact

5/21/76

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-911

92-4382

92-5907

92-7006

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised that POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

NO  
Coverage Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

## PERSONAL DATA:

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TO : SAC [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

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Dates of Contact  
5/23/76

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)  
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[redacted]  
[redacted]  
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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]

POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

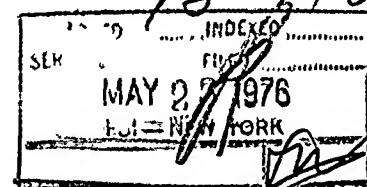
NO

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

DATE: 6/25/76

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## Dates of Contact

6/25/76

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-911

92-7006

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised that [redacted]

 POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

NO

 Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## PERSONAL DATA

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**Memorandum***(Signature)*

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE:  
**8/18/76**

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

**8/18/76**

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information).

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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised that [redacted]

POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information? \_\_\_\_\_

NO

Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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## PERSONAL DATA

(1-92-7006  
1-92-3207  
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## REPORT OF INVESTIGATION

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FILE TITLE

UID ITALIAN VIOLATORS/NYRO

IDENTIFIER

FILE NUMBER

(GP)

PROGRAM CODE

Unified Intelligence Division

ACTIVE  CLOSED  REQUESTED ACTION  
 ACTION REQUESTED COMPLETED

FROM: Det. [redacted]

AT New York, New York

DATE December 13, 1976

REPORT RE:

Subjects Reported To Have Been Made Soldiers In Organized Crime

DETAILS:

1. On December 10, 1976, Detective [redacted] Sr. Inv. [redacted]  
 [redacted] and Special Agent [redacted] debriefed [redacted] at the Drug Enforcement Administration Region 2 office, 555 West 57th Street, New York, New York.
2. In recent months information has been received that [redacted]

names: [redacted]

[redacted] furnished the following

1-92-7006 (55 closed)

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DISTRICT

OTHER FBI, Intelligence Division  
N.Y.C.P.D.

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APPROVED (Name and title)

Sr. Inv. [redacted]

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*(Continuation)*

DATE

December 13, 1976

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TITLE

UID ITALIAN VIOLATORS/NYRO

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Unified Intelligence Division

## PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:

3. INDELICATO, Alphonse - NADDIS number 21273

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

*cc*  

# Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

DATE: 3/16/77

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## Dates of Contact

3/16/77

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available or when CI provides positive information)

92-7006

## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

Source advised that Soony Red Indelicate [redacted]

 POSITIVE ASSIGNMENT GIVEN

Has informant shown any indication of emotional instability, unreliability or furnishing false information?

NO

 Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact, including information concerning narcotics.

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PERSONAL DATA  
1-92-7006  
1-TECIP

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: NOV 2 1977

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

Dates of Contact

10/26/77

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ALPHONSE INDELICATO

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Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

On 10/26/77, source advised that "Sonny Red"  
 INDELICATO [redacted]

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PERSONAL DATA

1-92-2300  
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 1-92-654 Sub C  
 1-TECIP

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-7006 )

DATE: 10/27/77

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO  
AR  
(OO: NY)

On 10/19/77, [redacted] New York State Parole, advised the writer that on 10/14/77, ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka Sonny Red, was placed under arrest for parole violation by the New York State authorities.

1 - 92-7006(c)

1 - 92-911

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On 10/28/77, source provided the following information:

10. The following table summarizes the results of the study.

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For more information about the study, please contact Dr. [REDACTED] at [REDACTED].

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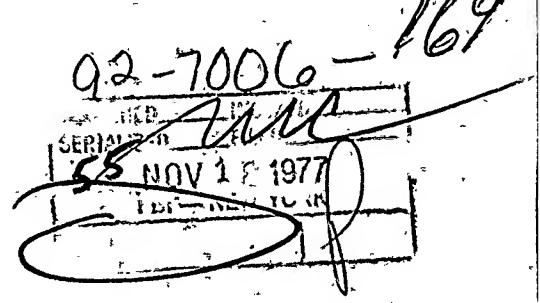
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NY 92-7006 ("Sonny Red" INDELICATO)

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SUBJECT:

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TO:

SAC (183-549 Sub D)

Name	ALPHONSE INDELICATO
Alias	Sonny Red
DOB	2/16/27
POB	NYC
Eyes	Brown
Hair	Brown
Height	5'9"
Weight	165 lbs.
B Number	219802
FBI Number	496938 A
NADDIS	21273
Address	113 Elizabeth Street NY, NY
Business	Joe & Als Paints 218 Grand Street NYC
Relatives	Father: ANTONIO INDELICATO Mother: GUSSIE INDELICATO Wife: BEATRICE INDELICATO

Associates

CARMINE DI BIASE,  
JOSEPH YACOVELLI,  
LOVIE LEGGS LA FAUCI,

RUSTY RASTELLI,

Places Frequented

Social Club  
219 Grand Street  
NYC

Joe & Als Paints  
218 Grand Street  
NYC

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1- Supervisor 210

1- 92-654 Sub C

1- S.A. [redacted]

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Areas of Interest:

Subject was "made" with [redacted] under NICK MARANGELLO in November, 1977. Subject may also be a "Capo" in the BONANNO family.

Subject is involved in illegal activities with [redacted]. These activities include the sale of heroin and cocaine on a large scale. The narcotics originate overseas, then are shipped to NY via Mexico.

It is to be noted that subject is currently incarcerated for violation at New York State Parole.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT*Memorandum*

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 12-4-78

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

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92-654 SUB C (BONANNO)

92-7006 (INDELICATO)

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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE.  
 POSITIVE  
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Source advised that [redacted]

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Source stated that [redacted]

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## PERSONAL DATA

1 - 92-654  
1 - 92-2202(1) - 92-7006  
1 - TECIP[redacted]  
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*Memorandum*

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 12-4-78

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

11/19/78

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available)

92-654 SUB C (BONANNO)

92-7006 (INDELICATO)

[redacted]  
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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

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Source advised that [redacted]

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Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]  
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Source stated that [redacted]

[redacted]  
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## PERSONAL DATA

[redacted]  
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1 - 92-2202(1) - 92-7006  
1 - TECIP

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ATTN OF:

SUBJECT:

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SUPV. [redacted]  
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SONNY Red UNSUBS  
RICO  
(OO: NY)

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TO: SAC, NEW YORK (92-7006)

Captioned subject currently under active investigation by DEA/FBI Task Force.

Any information developed on captioned subject or subjects should be forwarded to case file #183-799, located at DEA Headquarters, Section 51A.

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(REV. 7-76)  
GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6  
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*Memorandum*

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: 10-11-79

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

9/17/79

(File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available))

92-9280 (BONANNO FAMILY)

92- (SONNY RED INDELLICATO)

92- (RASTELLI)

92- [redacted]

92- [redacted]

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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

See attached.

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## PERSONAL DATA

1 - 92-9280

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1 - 92- 4162 (RASTELLI)

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"Sonny Red" INDELLICATO  
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On September 17, 1979, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]  
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Source further advised that [redacted]  
[redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]  
[redacted]

Source further advised that "Sonny Red"  
INDELLICATO [redacted]

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE: JAN 6 1979

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

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[redacted] 82-92800 Sub A (FBI-BOSTON)

[redacted] 82-92800 Sub A (FBI-BOSTON)

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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
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1 - 92-92800 Sub A  
 1 - 82-92-92800 Sub A  
 1 - 92-911  
 1 - 92-9106  
 1 - 92-8396  
 1 - 92-7906

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ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
Sonny Red  
92-7006

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On 12/3/79, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]  
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Source advised that [redacted]  
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Source advised that [redacted]  
[redacted]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BQMRA (92-7006)

DATE: 1/29/80

FROM : SUPV. [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka Sonny Red  
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Effective with the receipt of this memorandum, the aforementioned subject, who is known to be a Capo in the BONANNO Family of the LCN, is being assigned to SA [REDACTED]

In light of the limited information available at the present time, you are instructed to ascertain by completion of attached data sheet, but not limited to information requested, subject's role in the BONANNO Family and his involvement in any criminal activity.

In addition, all references in Indices should be reviewed and summaries of same should be placed in main file.

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ORIGIN 130  
SUPV. [REDACTED]  
CASE 92-7006  
DATE 1/29/80  
SECT 1306

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"AUTOMATED RECORD"  
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**TO: CHIEF CLERK**

Date

2/8/80

Subject

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~~ALPHONSE INDELICATO~~

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**Address:**

Birth Date  
2/16/27

Birthplace  
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 Female

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SONNY RED ALPHONSE 10/72 92-521900-SUB C-101  
AKA OF INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 11/75 92-674189, 28.  
AKA OF [REDACTED] VIO: AR

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"SONNY RED" 6/72 179-574\*  
AKA OF SONNY INDELICATO 7/72 92-7006\*  
[REDACTED] 11/72 92-4162-216

"SONNY RED" 1/78 12-63-3801 SUB C-101  
VIO: NARC

AKA OF SONNY INDELICATO PHONSE 12-73 123-1290-60  
VIO: RICO

"SONNY RED" 1/78 92-654-SUB C-1337  
VIO: AR 1/78 123-1290-72  
AKA OF [REDACTED] 12-73 123-1290-60

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"SONNY RED" 9/79 183-1290 SUB C4-87p7  
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INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 1/77 183-1290 SUB C4-23  
VIO-RICO

"SONNY RED" 9/70 80-467-7871

aka of Anthony Indelicato

ALPHONSE 1/70 92-2326-88  
170-654-88

SONNY RED 10/77 183-799-\* SUB C-102, 57  
VIO-RICO

AKA OF ALFONSE INDELICATO 9/79 183-1540-39  
SONNY RED, UNSUBS:  
7/78 92-654-Sub C-1506  
10/72 92-6154-23P 2

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MURDER

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE  
AKA

11/79 92-654-29,28  
VIO: AR

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INDELICATO, ALPHONSE

4-79 183-1290-1015  
VIO: RICO

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE

12-78 183-1290-60  
VIO: RICO

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE

11/78 183-1290-79

VIO: RICO

FBI# 496 938A

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NYCPD# B218902

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 11/77

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AKA

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INDELICATO, ALPHONSE  
AKA

11/79 183-1540-101,97  
VIO: RICO

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INDELICATO, ALPHONSE

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INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 5/79 92-654 SUB C-1427A  
VIO:AR  
1/78 92-654 Sub C-1751

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE (AKA) 8/73 92-7006-83

DOB: 2/16/27.

POB: NYC

ADD: 113 ELIZABETH STREET, NYC

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE AKA 1/77 92-911-1334p20

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE AKA 10/72 92-6159-23p2

NYCPD B# 218 902

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE  
AKA 3/67 92-4303-23

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 3/74 92-7514-83  
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INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 7/79

92-2300-8225  
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INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 7/78 92-654-SUB C-1506  
AKA VIO: AR

BN: 2/16/27  
POB: NYC  
113 ELIZABETH ST., NY, NY

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE AKA 8/72 92-7006-8\*  
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INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 1/80 92-9280 SUB A-12  
"SONNY RED"

VIO: AR

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 6/79 92-654-SUB C-1860  
"SONNY RED" VIO:AR

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113 Elizabeth St., NYC 6/68  
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VIO-RICO

ALFONSE INDELICATO AKA  
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INDELICATO, ALFONSE 8/73 92-7006-83\*  
(ALFONSE JOSEPH INDELICATO)  
AKA OF ALPHONSE INDELICATO

INDELICATO, ALPHONSE 1/80 92-7006\*  
AKA AR

INDELICATO, ALFONSE JOSEPH 8/73 92-7006-83\*  
AKA OF ALPHONSE INDELICATO

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC

DATE: 3-5-80

FROM : SA

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SUBJECT:

## Dates of Contact

2/7/80

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available)

92-7006 (INDELICATO)

92-9280 SUB A (BONANNO)

183-1163 (NEW ROCHELLE)

## Purpose and results of contact

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 STATISTIC

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## PERSONAL DATA

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 1 - 92-9280 SUB A  
 1 - 183-1163

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**TO: CHIEF CLERK**

Date 2/12/80

Subject ALPHONSE INDELEGATO

Social Security Account #

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**Aliases**

SONNY REED

**Address**

Birth Date  
2/16/27

Birthplace  
NYC

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Sex  
Male

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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[REDACTED] Parole Officer, State of New York, was contacted concerning his parolee, ALPHONSE "SONNY RED" INDELICATO. Present during the interview and file review was Detective [REDACTED] 14th Homicide Zone, New York City Police Department (NYCPD).

INDELICATO is on life-time parole for a 1951 homicide. He has been on parole since 1963. His date of birth (DOB) is February 16, 1927. He lists his residence as 113 Elizabeth Street, New York City (NYC), Apartment 4-A, telephone number 226-5732. Parole Intelligence indicates that INDELICATO has three houses on Long Island (LI). They are 139 South Evergreen, Selden, LI, (516) 732-6613 and [REDACTED] and 75 Hollywood, Selden, LI. The South Evergreen address is in the name of JOSEPH A. CARUSO and the [REDACTED] address is in the name of [REDACTED]

INDELICATO's listed employment is Milano Furniture, 227 Grand Avenue, 431-8475.

The intelligence reports shows his associates as [REDACTED]

A parole surveillance in Selden showed cars registered to the following people at INDELICATO'S JOE SCIMEZA, DOB December 25, 1906, 1046 Arthur Kill Road, Staten Island, NY and [REDACTED] Wood Drive, Ridge, NY.

Two names were found in INDELICATO's wallet:

Investigation on 2/1/80 at New York, New York File # BQ 183-1540  
 by SAs [REDACTED] Date dictated 2/7/80

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

# Memorandum

TO : SAC (BQ 92-7006) (P)

DATE: 2/22/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red"  
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On 2/8/80, the records of the NY State Department of Motor Vehicles were checked regarding ALPHONSE INDELICATO, DOB 2/16/27. No record identifiable with INDELICATO was located.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7006) DATE: 2/25/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red"

On 2/22/80, a check of the Bureau of Vital Statistics Records of the City of NY, NY, NY, by SC [redacted] revealed that ALPHONSE INDELICATO was born at 214 Grand Street, Manhattan, on 2/16/27. It was also indicated that INDELICATO's true first name is ALFONZO.

The birth records reflected the subject's parents as ANTONIO INDELICATO and ACCURSIA CATANIA. The subject's parents were described as follows:

Father	ANTONIO INDELICATO
POB	Italy
Age	27
Occupation	Laborer
Mother	ACCURSIA CATANIA
POB	NY
Age	20
Residence	214 Grand Street NYC, NY
Birth Certificate Number	M-250

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7006) DATE: 2/25/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red".  
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On 2/25/80, SC [redacted] caused the records  
of the Trans Union Credit Information Company, NY Division,  
95-25 Queens Boulevard, to be checked regarding ALPHONSE  
INDELICATO.

No information identifiable with INDELICATO was  
located.

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- 1 - 92-9078

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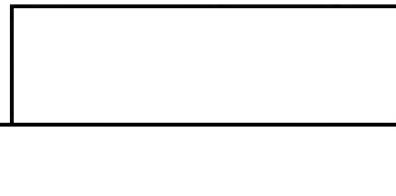
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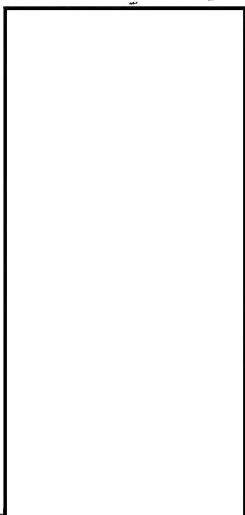


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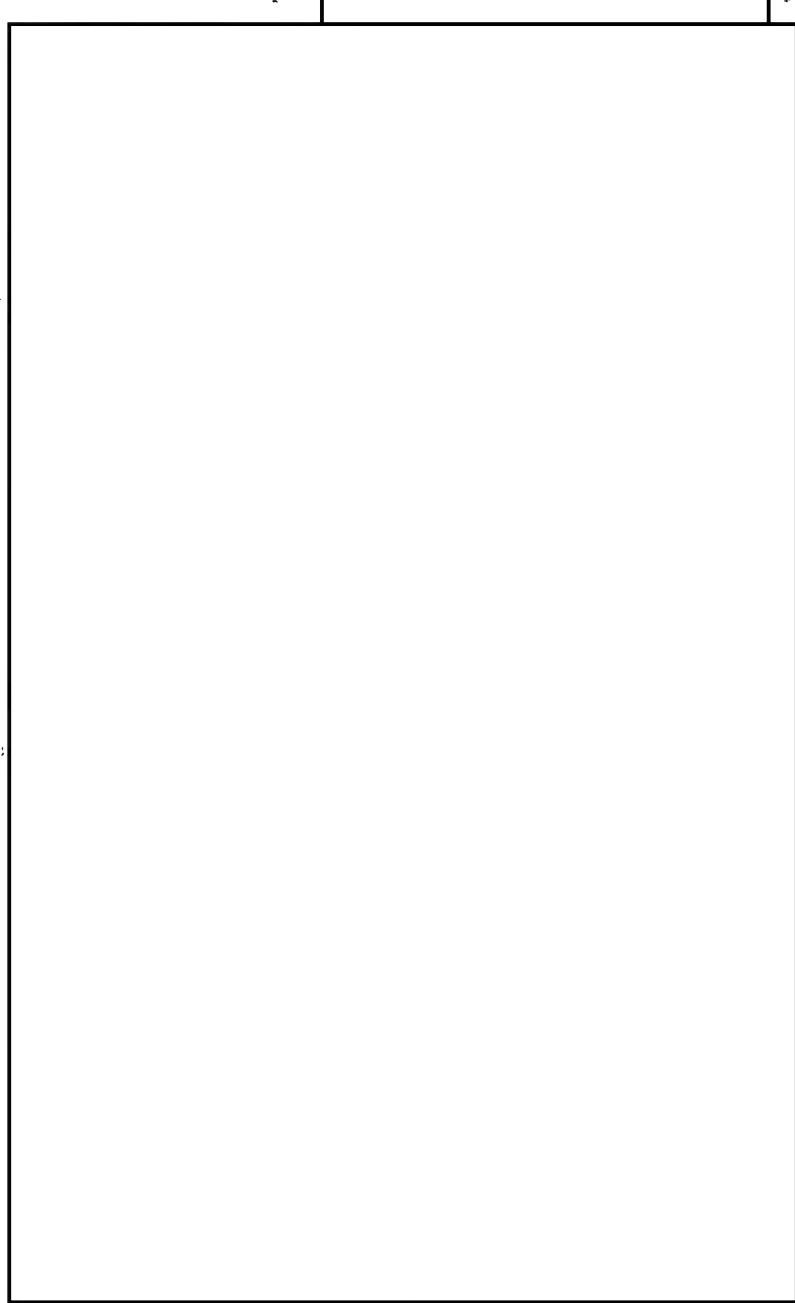
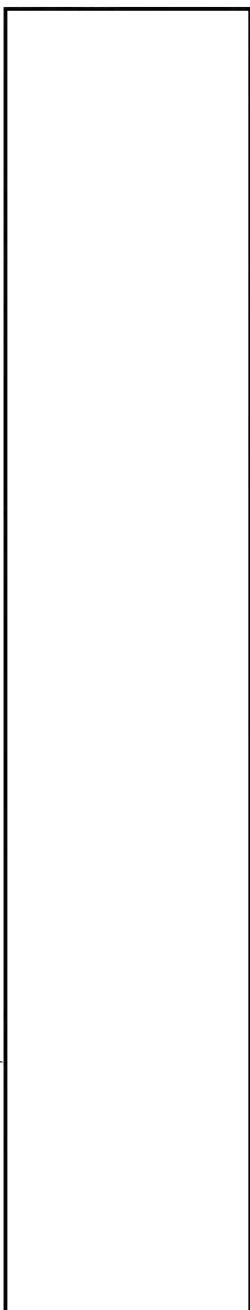
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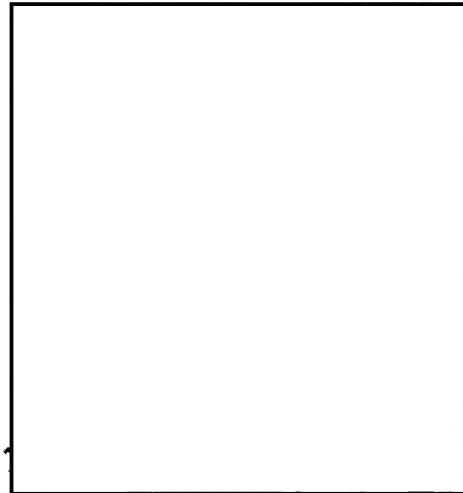
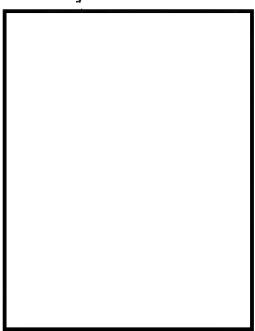
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Hertz Corp.  
485 Lexington Avenue  
New York, New York

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*New York Daily News*

Date: 3/3/80

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# Expect arrests of Gambino mob in Galante killing

By ROBERT CRANE  
and PAUL MESKIN

Detectives are expected to round up several members of the Gambino mob today on charges linking them with the slaying last July of crime czar Carmine Galante, the Daily News has learned.

It also learned that investigators from the Manhattan district attorney's office have compiled evidence that Galante's murder allegedly was planned in a Little Italy social club that is the headquarters of the Gambino mob and its boss, Aniello (Mr. O'Neill) DellaCroce.

The evidence was obtained through electronic surveillance of the Ravenite Social Club, 247 Mulberry St., where DellaCroce confers with his underlings and conducts the daily business of his 1,000-member, multimillion-dollar crime family.

Videotapes and recordings of bugged conversations in the club were turned over to a grand jury that investigated the alleged Galante murder conspiracy and other major crimes attributed to the Gambinos.

As a result of this inquiry, several indictments of mobsters, and their arrests, are expected today—and more charges are likely to follow.

Besides gathering evidence about the

Galante slaying, investigators from Manhattan District Attorney Robert Morgenthau's office also collected detailed information about alleged loan-sharking, armed robberies, burglaries, criminal possession of hijacked loot and other crimes.

Among those questioned by the grand jury, The News learned, have been Galante's two top aides, underboss Nicholas Marangello, and family counselor Steve Cannone, as well as Armand (Buddy) DellaCroce, Aniello's 24-year-old son; Leonard De Maria and reputed loan sharks Salvatore Palmiere and Louis Palmiere.

Sources close to the investigation said that Gambino leaders planned Galante's execution and cleared the murder contract with the heads of other mobs and with Galante's closest associates. Conversations reportedly recorded in the Ravenite indicate that the Gambino bosses were outraged because Galante was cutting in on their rackets and reportedly was selling mob memberships for \$50,000 each and pocketing the proceeds.

## Women's lib?

He even reportedly planned to induct his daughter Nina, who served as his chauffeur, courier and confidante, as a mob member. But other bosses, even those closest to him, were not ready for this underworld version of women's lib.

Several mobsters were questioned by the grand jury about the murder contract, which was carried out last July 12 in a Brooklyn restaurant, but none of them provided details. Armand DellaCroce, for example, was asked if he knew about the plot "before Mr. Galante was murdered." Reading a typed statement prepared by his lawyer, he replied:

"I respectfully decline to answer the questions to be asked of me on the grounds that those questions are based upon information gained as a result of electronic surveillance in violation of my rights under the Fourth Amendment of the U.S. Constitution."

According to court documents, Salvatore Palmiere gave a similar reply when asked: "Did you know Carmine Galante was going to be killed in advance of his murder?"

Louis Palmiere was asked about an incident in which a Gambino mobster "collected a loan payment 'by hitting a person in the head with a lead-filled pipe.' He read a long, legalistic statement ending with 'I decline to give any testimony which may tend to incriminate me.' He repeated this statement in response to other questions until the exasperated prosecutor inquired if he intended to answer all questions that way.

"No," Palmiere said. "I don't know nothing else. That's what I got to read—what I know."

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Submitting Office: NEW YORK

## *Indictments Reported Due Today With Link To Slaying of Galante*

By ROBERT D. McFADDEN

Eight reputed underworld figures will be indicted today on contempt and possibly other charges for refusing to testify before a Manhattan grand jury about a number of underworld activities, including last summer's unsolved gangland murder of Carmine Galante, the organized crime leader, sources close to the investigation said yesterday.

The suspects, who include two of Mr. Galante's top personal aides and several followers of a rival underworld leader, all were expected to be arrested in New York City this morning. Manhattan District Attorney Robert Morgenthau is to unseal the indictments at a 10:15 A.M. news conference at his office at 100 Centre Street.

The precise charges contained in indictments were not disclosed, but the sources said they involved contempt citations and may include perjury.

The charges were based, the sources

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said, on evidence obtained on videotape and tape recordings made clandestinely in a Little Italy social club that is the

headquarters of Aniello DellaCroce, the reputed leader of the organized crime "family" once headed by Carlo Gambino. The sources said that the secret record-

ing devices had been planted at the club, the Ravenite Social Club, 247 Mulberry Street, but had operated for only a brief time before they were discovered and ripped out by intended targets of the surveillance.

Nonetheless, the sources said, the material gathered touched on numerous organized crime activities, including Mr. Galante's murder, loan-sharking operations, armed robberies, burglaries, the handling of hijacked merchandise and other crimes.

The men to be indicted today were identified by the sources as Nicholas Marangella and Stefano Campane, the alleged top associate and counselor, respectively, of Mr. Galante's organization; Armand DellaCroce, the 24-year-old son of Aniello DellaCroce; Leonard DiMaria, a reputed member of the Gambino group; Salvatore and Louis Palmiere, described as loan-sharks, and Norman Dupont and Ed Lino.

The sources said that all had been summoned before the grand jury and that most had been offered waivers of immunity — meaning that they could not be prosecuted for anything they disclosed in their testimony — and were cited for contempt when they refused to testify anyway about the murder of Mr. Galante and other topics.

Investigators said the evidence indicated that the murder of Galante — who was slain in a barrage of shotgun blasts and gunfire in a Brooklyn restaurant last July 12 — may have been planned in the Ravenite club by leaders of the Gambino group and probably had the approval of the heads of other underworld organizations in the city.

Resentment over Mr. Galante's alleged efforts to cut in on the rackets of rival groups was said to have been the principal motive for his assassination, which occurred at the Joe and Mary Italian-American Restaurant at 205 Knickerbocker Avenue in the Bushwick section. A Galante bodyguard, Leonardo Coppolla, 50, and the restaurant owner, Giuseppe Turano, 43, also were killed in the attack by three gunmen wearing ski masks.

Mr. DellaCroce, who is said by law-enforcement officials to head a 1,000-member organization that is the largest underworld group in New York City, confers daily with associates at the club, which is near his home at 232 Mulberry Street.



The New York Times / Bob Gross  
The Ravenite Social Club at 247 Mulberry Street

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Monday through Friday  
In Business Day  
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TO : SAC, BQMRA (92-7006) (P)

DATE: 3/3/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
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On 2/27/80, a file review was conducted by the writer subsequent to a search of New York Indices on 2/14/80 regarding the subject. The following are excerpts found to be identical with the subject:

[redacted]

(Memo from SA [redacted] dated 3/13/78)

On 3/10/78, [redacted] advised that a source of his advised that [redacted]

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Memo dated 3/10/78 regarding the BONNANO LCN Family:

Indicates that "Joe and Al's Paints", located at 218 Grand Street, New York, NY, is owned by ALPHONSE [redacted] INDELICATO.

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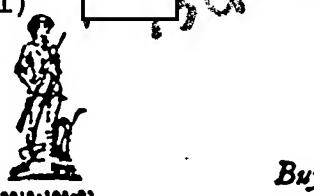
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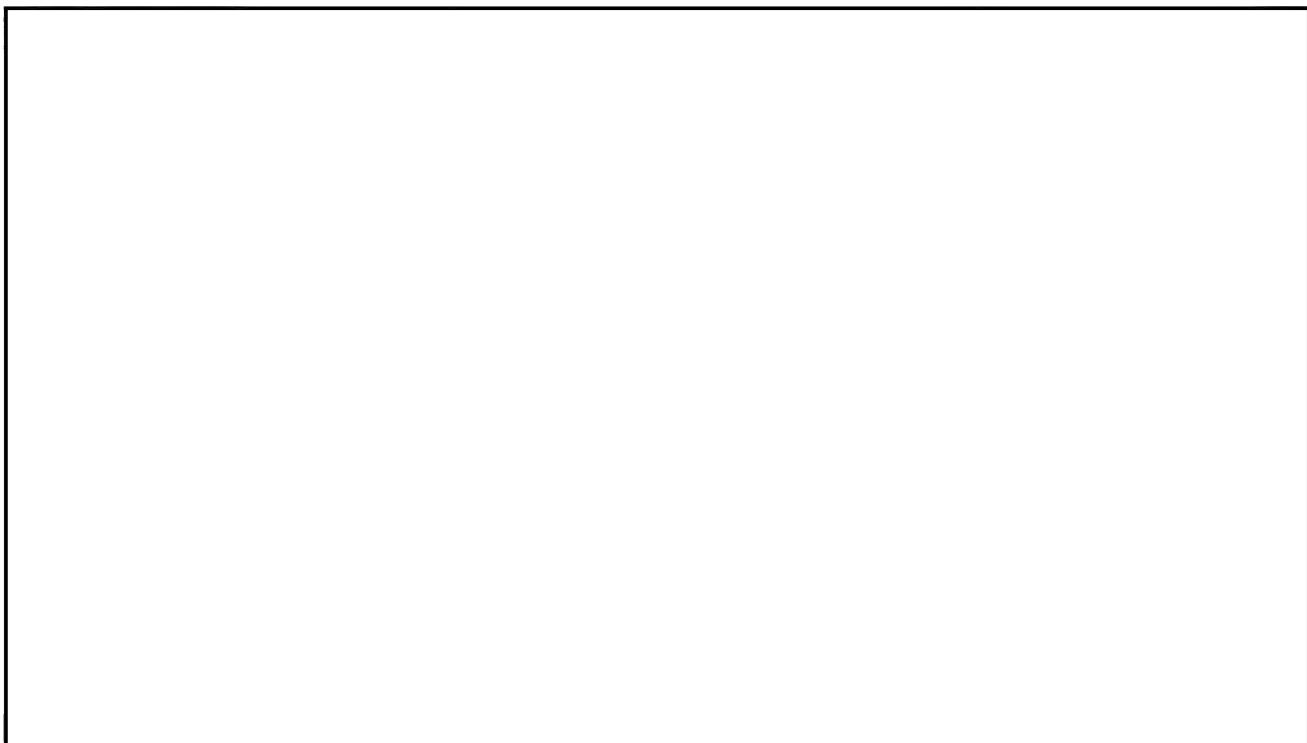


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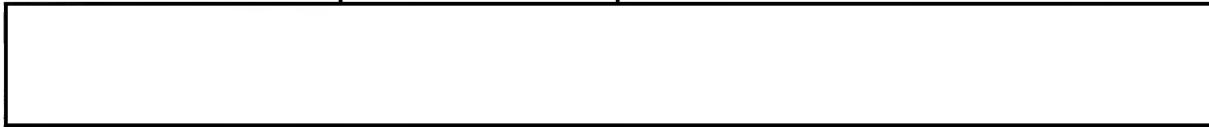
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Source [redacted]



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FD-209 (SA [redacted])

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Source advised on 5/22/79 that [redacted]

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FD-209 from SA [redacted]

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Source advised that [redacted]

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Source advised that [redacted]

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(DEA report dated 12/8/76)

ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka "Sonny Red", aka "Allen Indelicato"; has a criminal record dating to 1948, which includes an arrest for a federal narcotics violation in 1950 and second degree murder in 1952. INDELICATO, while free on parole from his murder conviction, was recently charged with perjury following his testimony before a New York State Grand Jury to the effect that he had not been present in 1971 at a Nyack, NY meeting when the assassination of JOE GALLO was planned; however, the perjury indictment was dismissed when a corroborative witness, fearful of retribution, decided not to testify against INDELICATO. A significant heroin trafficker in his own right, he is affiliated with the BONNANO LCN Family, and has been linked to the [redacted] and DI PALERMO narcotic organizations. A frequent companion of CARMINE GALENTE at this writing, he is associated with [redacted]

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111 FILE 15 FBI BROOKLYN/QUEENS NYFB1014 MARCH 30 1980  
TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES

THIS AGENCY REQUESTS A CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECK ON THE  
FOLLOWING INDIVIDUAL.

NAME/INDELICATO, ALPHONSE

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DOB/02/16/27

AUTH/SA [redacted]

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RE: IDELICATO, ALPHONSE 100832416727

NO CRIMINAL RECORD ON FILE COMPARES WITH INFORMATION GIVEN.

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TO : SAC, BQMRA (92-9280)

DATE: 3/7/80

FROM : *[Signature]* SUPV. [Redacted]

SUBJECT: BONANNO FAMILY  
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The below listed cases have been reopened for the purpose of gathering background information, and the title of each communication should indicate the alpha designation.

It should be noted that all 92 classifications involving organized crime figures are of the "A" designation.

At the present time, the following 92 cases are opened on BQ-6:

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TO : SAC [redacted]

DATE:

FEB 22 1980

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: [redacted]

## Dates of Contact

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File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available)

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NY 92-9280 BONANNO LCN FAMILY  
NR 92-9280 BONANNO LCN FAMILY  
BQ 92-9280 BONANNO LCN FAMILY

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## Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
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THE ATTACHED INFORMATION IS SINGULAR IN NATURE.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT THE M-7 SUPV. DETERMINE IF THIS INFORMATION SHOULD BE DISSEMINATED TO THE NEWARK OFFICE.

## PERSONAL DATA

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TO : SAC      NEW YORK [redacted]      DATE: MAR 26 1980

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

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## Dates of Contact

1/16/80 - 2/21/80

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92-9280 SUB A (ROMANO FAMILY MEMBERS)

92-9280 SUB A (ROMANO FAMILY MEMBERS)

ALPHONSE TUDISCO, AKA, Sonny Bul, Jr.

## Purpose and results of contact

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BONANNO FAMILY MATTERS  
AR  
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Source advised that [redacted]  
On January 14, 1980, [redacted] provided the [redacted]  
following information to Special Agent (SA) [redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]  
[redacted]

Source advised that he has observed [redacted]  
[redacted]

Source identified a photo of [redacted]  
[redacted]

On January 21, 1980, source advised that [redacted]  
[redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]  
[redacted]

[redacted]



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On February 12, 1980, [REDACTED]  
advised SA [REDACTED] that ALPHONSE "Sonny, Red"  
INDELICATO [REDACTED]

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DATE:

3-6-80

TO : SAC [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: [redacted]

Dates of Contact

2/12/80

File #s on which contacted (Use Titles if File #s not available)

92-9280 SUB A (BONANNO)  
92-9280 SUB A (BQMRA)  
92-9280 SUB A (NRMRA)

Purpose and results of contact

NEGATIVE  
 POSITIVE  
 STATISTIC

"SEE ATTACHED"

92-7006 - 1002

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1 - 92-9280 SUB A (BONANNO)  
2 - 92-9280 SUB A (BQMRA)  
3 - 92-9280 SUB A (NRMRA)

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-7006) (P)

DATE: 3/4/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red"  
AR (A)

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On 2/27/80, SAs [redacted] and [redacted] conducted a canvass of the area in the immediate vicinity of 113 Elizabeth Street, NY, NY, the residence of subject. A mobile canvass was also conducted in the vicinity of Milano Furniture Inc., 223 Grand Street, NYC; the alleged place of employment of the subject. The following is a list of vehicles observed on 2/27/80: (All vehicles are registered in NY State unless otherwise noted)

Plate

Vehicle

Registrant

[redacted]
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Plate

Vehicle

Registrant

928-UDS

1980 Cadillac, two  
door, sedan; grey

Gaines Leasing Service Corp.  
2135 Mill Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY

640-PZW

1978 Chevrolet, four  
door, sedan; red

Gaines Leasing Service Corp.  
2135 Mill Avenue  
Brooklyn, NY

174-TAN

1978 Lincoln, two door  
sedan; brown

Pinto Trucking Services, Inc.  
1414 Calcon Hook Road  
Sharon Hill, Pennsylvania

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Vehicle

Registrant

268-XPV	No record	
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306-PDE

1977 Cadillac, four door,  
sedan; black

Reuben Car Corp.  
1839 New York Avenue  
Huntington, NY

768-JXJ (NJ)	1978 Cadillac; brown	Jon Leasco Inc. 130 N. Main Street New City, NY
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TO: SAC, NEWARK  
FROM: SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7006) (P)  
SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red"  
AR (A)  
(OO:BQ)

4/21/80

ALPHONSE INDELICATO is currently a captain in the BONNANO Organized Crime Family. On 11/7/66, he was placed on lifetime parole subsequent to being convicted for murder in 1951.

INDELICATO is currently employed as a salesman by Milano Furniture, 223 Grand St., Manhattan, NY. Milano Furniture

Information has been received that Milano Furniture is being sold and that the subject, ALPHONSE INDELICATO, is seeking employment in New Jersey with "Clipper Universal International Inc.", 2820 16th, North Bergen, New Jersey, 07407. The following is a description of ALPHONSE "Sonny Red" INDELICATO:

Date of Birth  
Residence  
Eyes

2/16/27  
113 Elizabeth St., NYC  
Brown

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① Newark  
Brooklyn-Queens (92-7006)

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Hair	Brown
Height	5'9"
Weight	165 lbs.
SSAN	072-18-6809
FBI Number	496938A

LEAD

NEWARK DIVISION

AT NEWARK, NEW JERSEY. Check indices regarding subject's prospective employer, Clipper Universal International Inc., 2820 16th, North Bergen, NJ, telephone number 201-330-1997.

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The following is a synopsis of records regarding INDELICATO's educational background:

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BQ 92-7006

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Date 4/15/80

Birth  Credit  Criminal  Death  INS  Marriage\*  Motor Vehicle  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Driver's License

To <u>SPECIAL CLERK'S OFFICE (NYC)</u>	Buded
Re [redacted] BQ 6 ATTN: [redacted]	File number <u>92-7006</u>
Name and aliases of subject, applicant, or employee, and spouse	

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Name and aliases of subject, applicant, or employee, and spouse

ALPHONSE INDELICATO, AKA "SONNY RED"

Addresses \_\_\_\_\_  
Residence 113 ELIZABETH STREET, NYC

Business \_\_\_\_\_

Former \_\_\_\_\_

\* Date and place of marriage \_\_\_\_\_  
(if applicable)

Race <u>W</u>	Sex <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Age	Height <u>5'9"</u>	Weight <u>165</u>	Hair <u>Brown</u>	Eyes <u>Brown</u>
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Birth date <u>2/16/27</u>	Birthplace
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Arrest Number <u>B# 218902</u>	Fingerprint classification	Criminal specialty
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Results of check

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This certifies that fingerprints of the following named subject have been compared and the following is a true copy of the records of this system.

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Robert R. J. Indelicato  
DIRECTOR  
M 6360  
Commissioner

D. C. I. No.	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DIST.
300021Y	300021Y 445 5 9 1927	11/3/68		
Contributors of Fingerprints				
Alphonse Indelicato (from N.Y.C.P.D.)	Alphonse Indelicato	2/8/68	Fel. 233 Bt. (Robbery)	2/29/68 FBI - N.Y.
Alphonse Indelicato (from N.Y.C.P.D.)	Alphonse Indelicato 10/28/68 Alphonse Indelicato 10/28/68 F B 215-72	10/28/68	Rob'ty P.R. Conspiracy	4/8/69
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Alphonse Indelicato (from N.Y.C.P.D.)	Alphonse Indelicato 12/5/68	12/5/68	Bookmaking	12/31/68
Alphonse Indelicato (from N.Y.C.P.D.)	Alphonse Indelicato 8/25/69	8/25/69	Fed. Ware. Ward.	\$95.00
Alphonse Indelicato (from N.Y.C.P.D.)	Alphonse Indelicato 8/25/69	8/25/69	Vio. Fed. Ware. Laws	
Alphonse Indelicato (from N.Y.C.P.D.)	Alphonse Indelicato 10/25/69	10/25/69		
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DIRECTOR

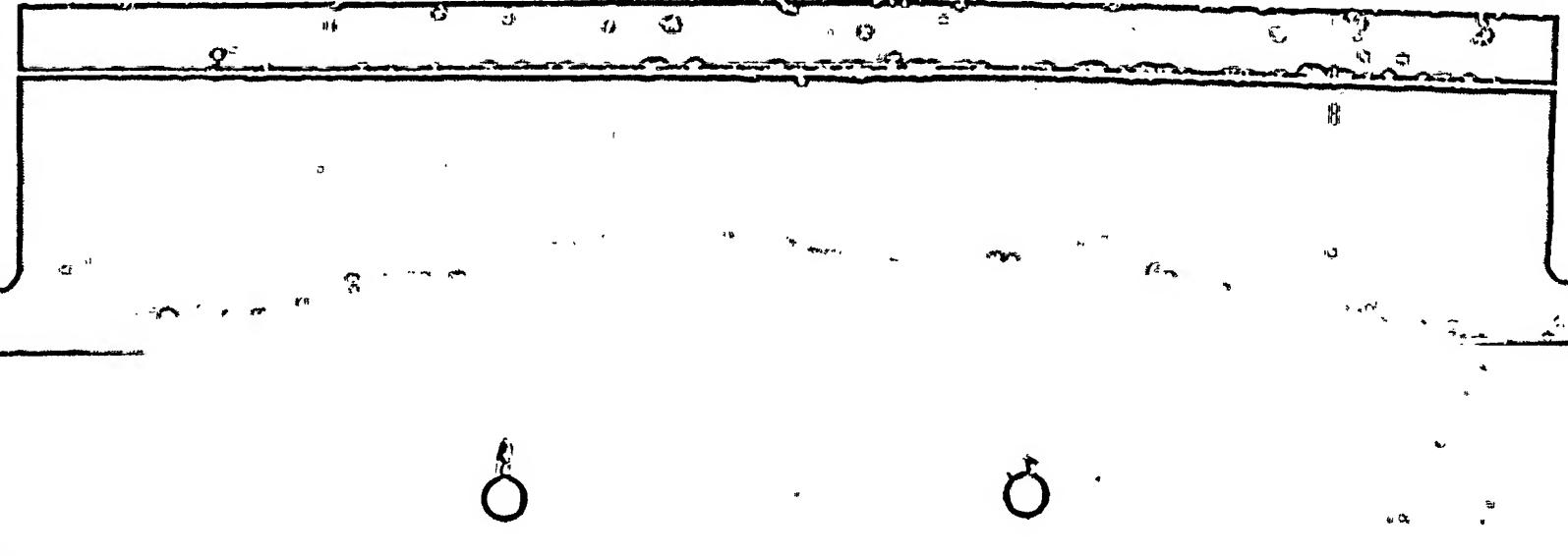
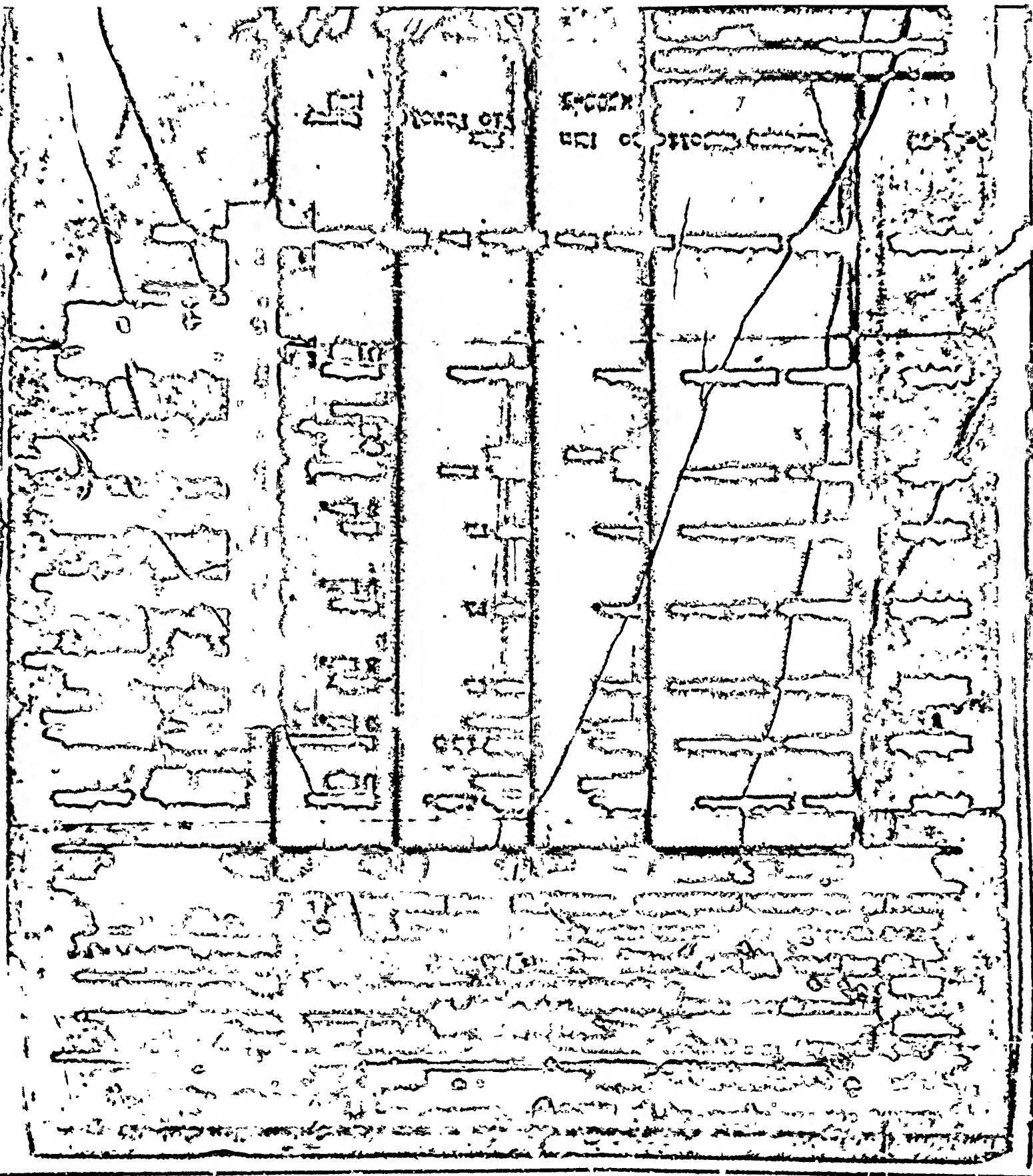
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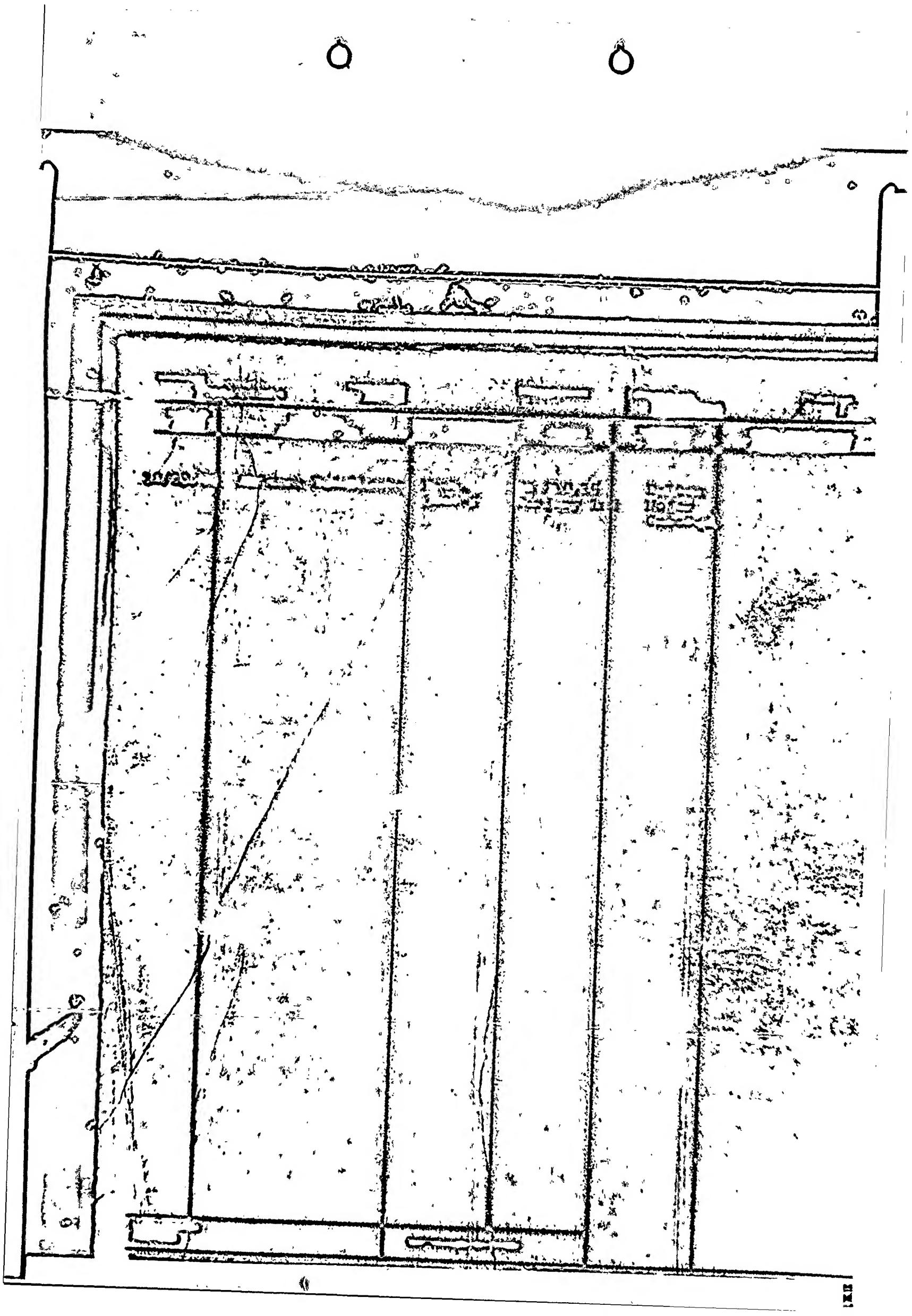
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DIRECTOR  
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st.Crt Sing Sing P.P.)				11/27/50	Unl. Poss. Heroin		
S. Pet.	Alfonse J. Indelicato # 218302 al. "Sonny Red" (Indelicato)			1/17/62	Murder (gun)	6 mos. 23. sent susp. prob. 2 yrs.	
Sing Pr. Albany, NY	Alfonse Indelicato 116954	SEN & REC 6/30/54 & 7/9/54			Verd. Murder 2nd Verd. Att. Murder 1st.	20-9/M-fo 12-5/T-0 Concur. ( NY Co.) Paroled Clinton #32777 11-7-65	
SD 5th Pet.	Alfonse Indelicato	9-25-72					
SD 5 Pet	Alfonse Indelicato	12-13-72			Violation of Parole <i>RRB pg 2</i>		
					PL 210.15-00 D/P Perjury 1st		





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MODUS OPERANDI  
AND PEDIGREE REPORT

POLICE DEPARTMENT  
CITY OF NEW YORK

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(Last Name) <b>IAUDRIZATO</b>	Prisoner's Name <b>Alfonso</b>	(First Name)	Date and Time of Arrest <b>12/13/72 0930</b>	A.M. P.M.	Criminal Record No. <b>A-18702</b>
Allaesa	Nicknames <b>Sonny Red</b>		Per. of Arrest <b>5th</b>	Arrest No. <b>3858</b>	Standing Photo No.
Address (Include City and State or Foreign Country) <b>113 Elizabeth St., N.Y.C. 557</b>			Location of Arrest <b>113 Elizabeth St.</b>		No. of Persons <b>1</b>
Occupation <b>Drugs Shop</b>			(Rank) <b>Det.</b>	(Serial) <b>1</b>	(Com'd)
			Drug User? <b>No</b>	Kind of Drug Used <b>None</b>	

Crime Charged (Title and Specific Offense)

**Felony 1st 210.15 P.L. - (2 counts)**

Give concise statement of all essential details of the crime or offense

**Arrested and charged in that at the time and place of occurrence, 10/31/72**

**to avoid committing perjury before the Grand Jury. Indictment #6949/72, signed**

**Norman Goodman, Clerk of Supreme Court, Part 30**

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INFORMATION FOR USE IN MODUS OPERANDI FILE

Date and Time of Crime <b>10/31/72 PM</b>	A.M. P.M.	ASSOCIATES ON THIS ARREST	
Crime Committed At <b>55 Leonard St., NYC</b>	Out One Inside Outside	Name	Criminal Record
Type of Building (Vehicle, Store, Dwelling, Loft, etc.)			
Entered Via (Door, Window, Roof, etc.)			
Means of Entry (Jimmy, Key, Bodily Force)			
Object of Crime			
Described Self As (Agent, Inspector, etc.)			
Tale Told by Prisoner to Complainant		OTHER KNOWN ASSOCIATES (State Names, Address and Criminal Record No.)	
Vehicle Used / Describe			
Properties Committed			
Prisoner Owns Auto <b>Yes</b>	IF PRISONER OWNS OR DRIVES AN AUTO, FILL IN THE FOLLOWING CAPTIONS:		
Car <b>PO-17</b>	Make <b>T</b>	Model <b> </b>	Year <b> </b>
Does Prisoner Own the Auto?	<input type="checkbox"/> Operator Lic. No. <input type="checkbox"/> Chauffeur Lic. No.		

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POLICE DEPARTMENT  
CITY OF NEW YORK

PEDIGREE

218902  
Name ALFONSE J. INDELENTA  
Alias SONNY REE  
Residence 174 ELIZABETH ST  
Crime HOMICIDE - GUN  
(MOSO)  
Color W complexion FAIR  
Age 24 Born N.Y.C 1928  
(CITY) (STATE)  
Sex M Height 5'9 Weight 135  
(Country)

CHECK RELEVANT MATTER

APPEARS-Slim Medium Stout Drug User  
Face Pockmarked  
SHOULDERS-Straight Round Stooped Hunchback  
Is Right or Left Handed  
EYES-Blue Gray Hazel Brown ✓ Mardon  
Wears Glasses Cross-eyed: Right or Left Eye  
Artificial: Right or Left Eye  
Blind: Right, or Left Eye  
HAIR-Sandy Blonde Brown Red Auburn  
Black Partially Gray Gray Wavy Curly  
Kinky Partially Bald Bald None  
NOSE-Small Large Pug Straight Hooked  
EARS-Small Large Medium Flaring Close to Head  
Cauliflower: Right or Left Ear Both  
Deaf: Right or Left Ear Both  
MUSTACHES-Color Long Short  
Stubby Turned-up Ends Point Ends  
SPEECH-Fast Talker Slow Talker Stammers Accent  
Kid Soft Voice Gruff Voice  
Efeminate Voice Tongue-tied

DISTINCTIVE MARKS-Note below All Scars, Tattoo Marks, Missing  
Tooth, Old Tooth, Upper or Lower Jaw; If Lame, the Cause;  
Amputations, Bow-Legged Knock-Kneed, Pigeon-Toed, Twitched  
Limbs etc.

1 10 AM AL-ON LEFT ARM  
1 45 PM HER 27

Occupation Clerk 47  
Date of Birth 17-52 27  
Other NOV 19 27  
Child No 5 Command  
(OVER) D.D. 39

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BQMRA (92-7006) (P)

DATE: 4/29/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
"SONNY RED"  
AR (A)

On 4/28/80 the writer reviewed New York file  
183-1540 entitled CARMINE GALANTE - VICTIM RICO. Attached  
are copies of serials extracted as they pertain to the  
subject, ALPHONSE INDELICATO.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BQ (183-1540) (P)

DATE: 4/18/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: CARMINE GALANTE-VICTIM  
RICO-MURDER

On 4/4/80, SAs [redacted]  
[redacted] along with Inspector [redacted] Detective [redacted]  
and Detective [redacted] of the NYPD met with Inspector [redacted]  
[redacted] NYPD, Manhattan District Attorney's Office.

Inspector [redacted] was in charge of the investigation  
into the Ravenite Social Club. The Ravenite is on Mulberry  
St. in Manhattan and is run by GAMBINO underboss, ANIELLO  
DELLACROCE. Inspector [redacted] has video tape of the Ravenite  
on the day that GALANTE was killed, 7/12/79. Inspector [redacted]  
made available to the FBI a copy of the video for 7/12/79, which  
shows a meeting about a half hour after the homicide of BONANNO  
members, STEVE CANNONE, PHIL GIACCOME, and ALPHONSE,  
[redacted]

A review of their logs shows CANNONE there only  
several times while they were observing the club. 7/26/79  
is the first time he is at the club after the GALANTE homicide.  
Video shows him with NICK MARANGELLO and [redacted]. Then on  
7/30/79 he is at the club again, talking with [redacted]  
[redacted] GIACCOME, and two unsbs.

The following is a list of people who were at the  
Ravenite on 7/11/79 and 7/12/79. Inspector [redacted] is providing  
photographs of individuals who frequent the Ravenite:

1 BQ 183-1540  
1 BQ 92-9282  
[redacted]

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On April 7, 1980, ALPHONSE "SONNY RED" INDELICATO was contacted at his place of employment, Milano Furniture, Elizabeth Street, New York (NY), NY. Also present was Detective [redacted] 14th Homicide Zone, New York City Police Department (NYCPD). INDELICATO was advised of the identities of the interviewing Agents and Detective.

INDELICATO was advised that the interview was concerning the murder of CARMINE GALANTE. INDELICATO stated that he did not wish to speak to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) or the police without his attorney. His attorney is: [redacted] telephone number [redacted]. INDELICATO said he would talk to us only with his attorney.

Note: Milano furniture  
is located at 227  
Grand St., NYC not  
on Elizabeth St.

Investigation on 4/8/80 at New York, New York File # BO 183-1540 -152  
by SAs [redacted] Date dictated 4/14/80

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On April 8, 1980, SALVATORE CATALANO, 66-57 69th Street, 894-6206, was contacted at his bakery, Catalano Bakery, 75-25 Metropolitan Avenue, Queens, New York (NY). Also present during the interview was Detective [redacted] [redacted] 14th Homicide Zone, New York City Police Department (NYCPD).

CATALANO advised that he had just returned this past week from Italy. He had been there five months and had gotten married.

CATALANO said that he and CESARE BONVENTRE were business partners in the Jamaica Pizza, 166-03 Jamaica Avenue, Queens, NY. He advised that following the murder of CARMINE GALANTE, he did not see or talk to BONVENTRE or [redacted] [redacted] for about two months following the homicide. CATALANO said he only met CARMINE GALANTE once. He said it was several years ago at Joe and Mary's Restaurant, 205 Knickerbocker Avenue, Brooklyn, NY. He said he and his brothers owned the Colosse Imports, on Knickerbocker Avenue, but they sold it about a year and a half ago.

CATALANO said that he did not know, ALPHONSE "SONNY RED" INDELICATO, [redacted] or [redacted]

A brief physical description of CATALANO:

Name	SALVATORE CATALANO
Race	Caucasian
Nationality	Italian
Height	Five feet seven inches
Weight	165 pounds
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown

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Investigation on 4/8/80 at Queens, New York File # BQ 183-1540-153  
 by SAs [redacted] Date dictated 4/14/80

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date of transcription \_\_\_\_\_

2/11/80

[redacted] Parole Officer, New York  
 (NY) State, was contacted concerning his knowledge of [redacted]  
 [redacted] Also present during the interview were  
 Detectives [redacted] 14th Homicide  
 Zone, New York City Police Department (NYCPD).

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[redacted] advised that he was [redacted] Parole Officer until December, 1976, when he went off parole.  
 While on parole, [redacted] lived at [redacted] New York City (NYC). [redacted] under the alias of [redacted]

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[redacted] Living with him is" [redacted] Her date  
 of birth is [redacted] Her Social  
 Security Account Number (SSAN) is [redacted]

[redacted] advised [redacted] that he is employed  
 at [redacted] He also said he is  
 thinking of investting in [redacted]

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A source of the Parole Office, who is [redacted]  
 [redacted] advised that [redacted]

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[redacted] provided the names of [redacted]  
 associates:

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Name

Date of Birth (DOB)

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by SA [redacted]

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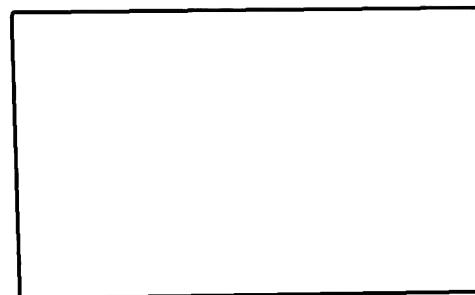
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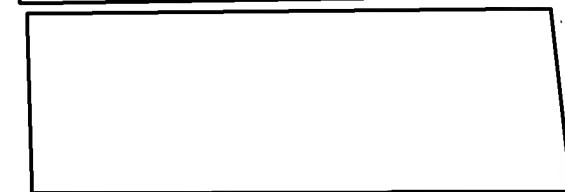
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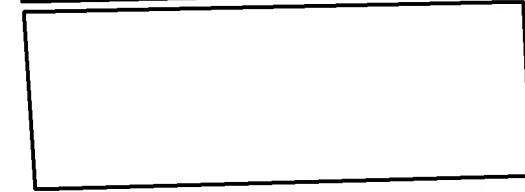
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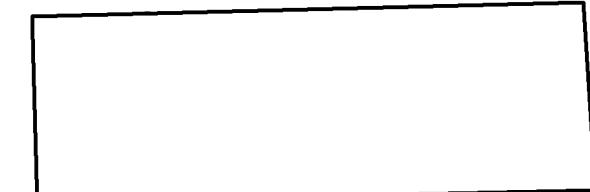


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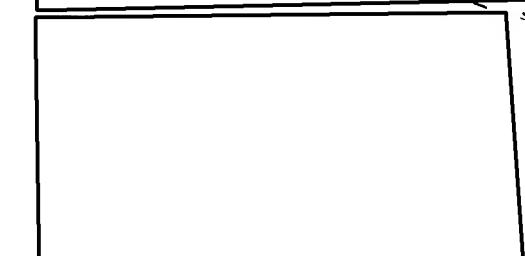


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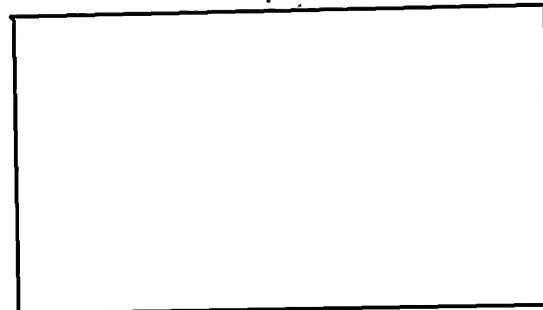
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[redacted] remembered that [redacted] also hung  
out at [redacted] [redacted] He  
advised [redacted] also provided three other places that [redacted] may frequent:  
[redacted]

[redacted] concluded by advising that [redacted]  
drives a [redacted] New Jersey license [redacted]  
All this information has current up to the time that [redacted]  
went off parole in [redacted]

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TO : SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (183-1540)

DATE:

2/11/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: CARMINE GALANTE - VICTIM  
RICO-MURDER

ReBQTT to FBI Headquarters, dated 1/17/80.

In view of recent developments re the INDELICATOS, obtained from the Manhattan District Attorney's Office, the following general outline will be pursued in this case:

1. Develop [redacted] his associates and surveillance of them.

2. Interview suspects:

SALVATORE CATALANO  
FRANCESCO NAVARRO

[redacted]  
CAESAR BONVENTRE

3. Interviews of heads of BONANNO Family:

PHIL GIACCONE  
STEVE CANNONE  
ALPHONSE INDELICATO

4. Interview [redacted] re his patients on 7/12 and 7/13

5. Get copy of tape from Manhattan District Attorney's office.

6. Recontact witnesses.

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[redacted]  
 was interviewed at the Brooklyn District Attorney's Office.  
 Also present were New York City Police Department (NYCPD)  
 Detectives [redacted]  
 was questioned concerning the GALANTE homicide.

[redacted] was shown pictures from the raid at  
 the Cafe Del Viale. He said that [redacted]  
[redacted]

He said that if the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) was looking at SALVATORE CATALANO for the GALANTE hit, they were on the "right track."

He was shown photographs of PHILLIP GIACCONE and ALPHONSE and [redacted] with negative results.

He again mentioned that a [redacted]  
[redacted]

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DATE: 2/2/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: CARMINE GALANTE-VICTIM  
RICO-MURDER

[redacted]  
[redacted] was contacted concerning his knowledge  
of ALPHONSE and ANTHONY INDELICATO. Also present during  
the interview was Detective [redacted] 14th Homicide  
Zone, NYCPD.

[redacted] advised that [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted]

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TO : SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (183-1540)

DATE: 2/1/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: CARMINE GALANTE-VICTIM  
RICO-MURDER

ReBQTT to Bureau, dated 1/17/80.

SA [redacted] provided the following background  
information on [redacted]

Name	[redacted]
Aka	
DOB	
POB	NYC
Eyes	Brown
Hair	Black
Height	5'10"
Weight	150 pounds
Characteristics	Well dressed
Employment	[redacted]

Father	[redacted]
Mother	
Wife	
Daughter	
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Associates	[redacted]

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CARMINE GALANTE-VICTIM; RICO-MURDER.

REBQTELETYPE, AUGUST 22, 1979.

THE FOLLOWING NEW YORK (NY) ORGANIZED CRIME FIGURES WERE  
 INTERVIEWED CONCERNING THE GALANTE HOMICIDES WITH NEGATIVE  
 RESULTS: [REDACTED]

DURING AUGUST, 1979,

ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HAD ALSO ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

SOURCE ALSO [REDACTED]

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ADVISED THAT [REDACTED]

INVESTIGATION TO DATE IN SUPPORT OF SOURCE [REDACTED]

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CESARE BONVENTRE AND [REDACTED] ACCOMPANIED BY THEIR ATTORNEY [REDACTED] WHO ALSO REPRESENTS SALVATORE CATALANO, SUBMITTED TO A POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION GIVEN BY THE NYCPD. BONVENTRE'S TEST WAS INCONCLUSIVE AS HE FAILED TO REGISTER ANY RESPONSE ON THE MACHINE. [REDACTED] TEST SHOWED THAT HE HAD PRIOR KNOWLEDGE OF THE HOMICIDE AND THAT HE WAS ACTIVELY INVOLVED.

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IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT IT IS THE OPINION OF THE 14TH HOMICIDE ZONE AND THE CASE AGENT THAT CESARE BONVENTRE WAS ONE OF THE SHOOTERS. A REVIEW OF THE FORENSIC EVIDENCE AND PHOTOS OF THE CRIME SCENE WOULD LEAD TO THE THEORY THAT BONVENTRE HAD KILLED LEONARDO COPPOLA.

ON DECEMBER 7, 1979, INSPECTOR [REDACTED] NYC PD, MANHATTAN

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DISTRICT ATTORNEYS OFFICE, ADVISED LIEUTENANT [REDACTED]  
 14TH HOMICIDE ZONE THAT THEY HAVE HAD A SEPARATE INVESTIGATION  
 ON THE RAVENITE SOCIAL CLUB, ON MULBERRY STREET IN MANHATTAN.  
 INSPECTOR [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT THEY HAD VIDEO TAPE OF THE  
 RAVENITE ON THE DAY OF THE GALANTE HOMICIDE. IT SHOULD BE  
 NOTED THAT THIS SOCIAL CLUB IS RUN BY ANIELLO DE LACROCE, THE  
 UNDERBOSS OF THE GAMBINO FAMILY.

ON JANUARY 14, 1980, LIEUTENANT [REDACTED] DETECTIVE [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] OF THE 14TH HOMICIDE ZONE ALONG WITH SPECIAL AGENTS (SAS)  
 [REDACTED] WERE ALLOWED TO VIEW  
 THE VIDEO TAPE ON THE RAVENITE SOCIAL CLUB FOR THE PERIOD JUST  
 AFTER THE HOMICIDE ON JULY 12, 1979.

DETECTIVE [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HE TOOK THE PICTURES  
 AND OBSERVED THE SCENE ABOUT 45 MINUTES TO ONE HOUR AFTER THE  
 HOMICIDE. DETECTIVE [REDACTED] OBSERVED A GREEN LINCOLN  
 CONTINENTAL PARKED ABOUT A HALF A BLOCK FROM THE RAVENITE.  
 SEATED IN THE CAR WERE PHIL GIACCOME, ALPHONSE "SONNY RED"  
 INDELICATO, [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] THE FOUR SEEMED TO BE ARGUING.  
 WHEN ANIELLO DE LACROCE ENTERED THE RAVENITE, EVERYONE BUT  
 [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] GOT OUT OF THE CAR AND WENT TOWARD THE CLUB.  
 THE REST IS ON VIDEO TAPE. GIACCONE AND "SONNY RED" INDELICATO ENTERED THE CLUB AND CAME OUT SECONDS LATER WITH STEVE CANNONE, BONANNO FAMILY CONSIGLIERE. CANNONE, [REDACTED] AND GIACCONE HAD AN ANIMATED CONVERSATION FOR A MINUTE OR TWO AND WERE THEN JOINED BY [REDACTED] WHO WAS LIMPING BADLY. CANNONE AND [REDACTED] SHOOK HANDS SEVERAL TIMES. THE CONVERSATION LASTED ONLY SEVERAL MINUTES WITH CANNONE GOING BACK INTO THE CLUB AND THE OTHERS LEAVING IN THE CAR.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT IT IS UNUSUAL FOR CANNONE TO BE AT A GAMBINO HANGOUT, AND THAT THE OTHERS WOULD KNOW HE WOULD BE THERE. DETECTIVE [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT CANNONE STARTED FREQUENTING THE RAVENITE ABOUT TWO WEEKS BEFORE THE HOMICIDE AND CONTINUED FOR ABOUT TWO WEEKS AFTER THE HOMICIDE.

ALSO SOURCE INFORMATION [REDACTED]

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING AND FBIHQ WILL BE ADVISED AS DEVELOPMENTS OCCUR.

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 FROM : SA   
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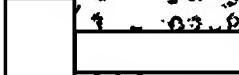
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On December 11, 1979, [redacted] advised Special Agent (SA) [redacted] that [redacted]

[redacted]  
Source further advised that [redacted]

It is to be noted that ALPHONSE "SONNY RED" INDELICATO is still a Bonanno family captain, and was not "knocked down" after GALANTE's hit.

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TO : SAC [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted]

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On 9/11/79, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]

[redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]

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ALPHONSE INDELICATO  
Also Known As (aka) Sonny Red  
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On March 24, 1980, [redacted] provided the following information to SA [redacted]

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On March 31, 1980, source advised that [redacted]  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-7006) (P)

DATE: MAY 5 1980

FROM : *Chu* SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red"  
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MAY 5 1980

SAC (92-7006) (P)

SA [redacted]

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ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red"  
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# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-7006) (P)

DATE: APR 25 1980

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red".  
AR (A)

On 4/17/80, a review of NY file 183-1540,  
entitled "CARMIN GALANTE - VICTIM; RICO - GANGMURS", was  
conducted by the writer. The following are excerpts  
found to be identical with the subject; ALPHONSE INDELICATO:

183-1540-13 (FD-209 of SA [redacted]  
[redacted] HRA, dated 7/17/79)

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A confidential source advised that [redacted]  
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On 7/17/79, [REDACTED] advised "SONNY RED"  
INDELICATO, [REDACTED]

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC (92-7006) (P)

DATE: MAY 5 1980

FROM : *CSW* SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red"  
AR (A)  
(OO:BQ)

On 4/30/80, at approximately 10:55 AM, surveillance was instituted in the vicinity of 1 East Third Street, NY, NY. At approximately 11:20 PM, ALPHONSE INDELICATO exited from, East Third Street and walked north on Bowery Street. He then entered a waiting vehicle, a grey Volvo, bearing NY plate number 205-PDE.

Vehicle was driven away by a white male who was at the wheel, and subject was seated in the right side front passenger seat. Vehicle proceeded as follows:

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Vehicle was parked on the left side of Elizabeth Street between Grand and Broome Streets.

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[redacted]  
*[Signature]*  
[redacted]



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Height	Five feet nine inches
Weight	165-170 pounds
Clothing	Blue sportsjacket, maroon slacks
Miscellaneous	Wore black horn-rimmed glasses
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Sex	Male
Race	Caucasian
Features	Dark complexion
Height	Five feet ten inches
Weight	160-170 pounds
Hair	Black, close cropped
Clothing	Tan sportsjacket

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A check of the NYSDMV records regarding NY plate number 205-PDE disclosed the following information:

<u>Plate Number</u>	<u>Registration Information</u>
205-PDE	1979 Volvo, sedan, grey, VIN VC26265MD004475, Milano Furniture Inc., 227 Grand Street, NY, NY 10013

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SA [redacted]

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BQMRA (92-7006) (P)

DATE: 5/7/80

FROM : *ef* SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO aka  
"Sonny Red"  
AR (A)  
(OO:BQ)

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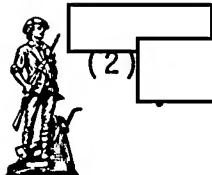
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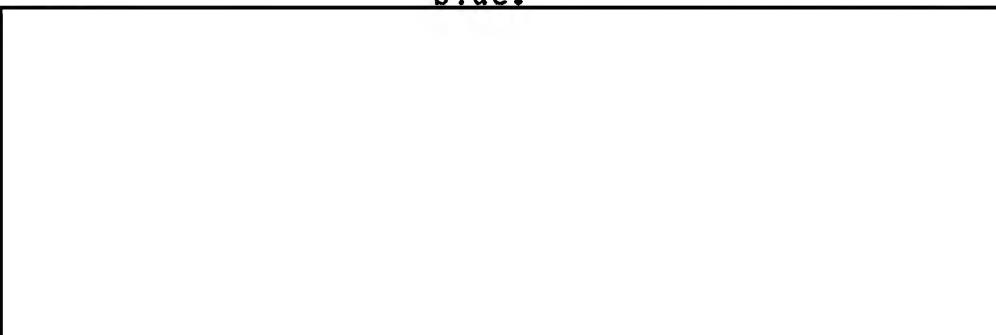
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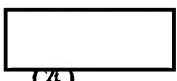
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(AR) (A)

On 5/7/80, the following observations were  
made by SAs [redacted]

In the vicinity of the Joseph A. Brizzi  
Funeral Home at 6:45 PM, the following vehicles  
were observed:



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1 - 92-9316  
1 - 183-1758



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In the vicinity of [redacted]  
(the address given by the subject, [redacted] where he  
could be located) at 7:42 PM, the following vehicles  
were observed:

[redacted]
[redacted]
[redacted]

990-UDZ	1978 blue Cadillac, four door sedan	ANGELO ARENA 1437 Bay Ridge Avenue. Brooklyn, NY DOB - 6/26/23
270 YGK	1971 yellow Cadillac, sedan	ANGELO ARENA 1437 69th Street Brooklyn, NY DOB - 6/26/23

In the vicinity of the Caffe Roma, 13th Avenue and  
71st Street, Brooklyn, NY, at 7:45 PM, the following vehicles  
were observed.

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ABS-12      1977 brown Cadillac, two door sedan

BETTY DELEO  
6 Gorham Lane  
Dix Hills, NY  
DOB - 2/22/28

On 5/8/80, the following observations were made by  
SAs [redacted]

In the vicinity of 2042 83rd Street, Brooklyn, NY,  
(an address utilized by CESARE BONVENTRE) at 8:07 PM, the following vehicle was observed:

The following vehicles were observed in the vicinity of 113 Elizabeth Street, Manhattan, NY (residence of ALPHONSE INDELICATO) at approximately 5:40 PM:

Four white males were observed in above Oldsmobile bearing plate [redacted]. One of these males exited the vehicle and entered 113 Elizabeth Street.

585-ZAT      1979 blue Ford, two door sedan      Bindy Corporation  
4901 Kings Highway  
Brooklyn, NY

Two white males and one white female were observed in vehicle bearing NY license 585-ZAT. All three individuals exited the vehicle and entered 113 Elizabeth Street.

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In the vicinity of the Brizzi Funeral Home, 3921 Fort Hamilton Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, the following observations were made:

At approximately 7:05 PM, a white male, about 50 years of age, wearing a light blue sweater, exited a Chrysler bearing NY license [redacted] and entered the Brizzi Funeral Home.



A white male, approximately 50-60 years of age, was observed washing the windows of green Pontiac bearing NY license [redacted] and subsequently he entered the Brizzi Funeral Home.

The following vehicles were observed in the vicinity of the Caffe Roma, 7109 13th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, at 9:00 PM.

820-KSN (NJ) 1975 silver Lincoln

Lace Plastics Recycling Inc.  
1000 Blair Road  
Carteret, NJ

361-YXR 1976 red Cadillac, two door sedan

S. Mastroyanni and Brothers  
94 Canal Street  
NY, NY



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791-PBR 1978 brown Buick, two door sedan

BENJAMIN J. SERGI  
44 Court Street  
Brooklyn, NY  
DOB - 3/22/18

At 10:25 PM, the following vehicles were observed:

630-PBZ (Registered to CESARE BONVENTRE, observed earlier)

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On April 16, 1980, [redacted] advised Special Agent  
[redacted]  
that [redacted]

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BQMRA (92-7006) (P) DATE: 5/15/80

FROM :

SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
"Sonny Red"  
AR (A)

On May 15, 1980, the writer reviewed New York file 183-1540, entitled CARMINE GALANTE - VICTIM; RICO. Attached are one copy each of an FD-302 dated 4/10/80, and two inserts containing informant information dated 4/16/80 and 5/4/80. These communications were extracted as they pertain to captioned subject.

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On April 10, 1980, [redacted] was contacted at [redacted] New York (NY), NY. Also present during the interview was Detective [redacted] 14th Homicide Zone, New York City Police Department (NYCPD), and [redacted] ALPHONSE INDELICATO.

[redacted] was told that the interview was concerning the Homicide of CARMINE GALANTE. [redacted] advised that his attorney, [redacted] had advised him not to talk to any law enforcement agency about anything.

Investigation on 4/10/80 at New York, New York File # 183-1540-155  
by SA SA Date dictated 4/11/80

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On April 16, 1980, [redacted] advised Special Agent [redacted] that [redacted]

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[redacted]

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On 5/4/80, [redacted]  
to SA [redacted]

furnished the following information

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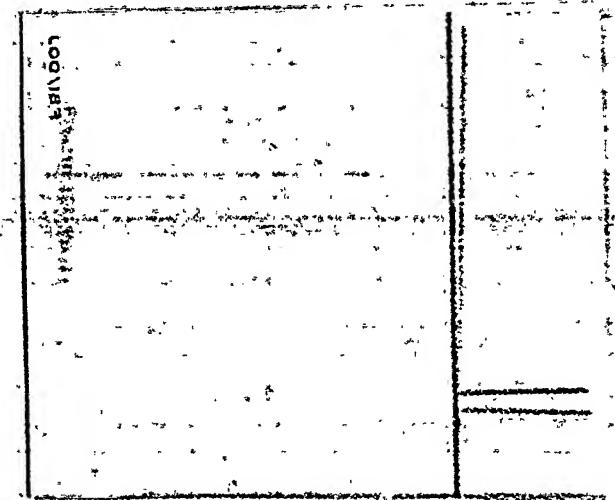
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 NEW YORK DAILY NEWS  
 NEW YORK, NEW YORK  
 Date: 6/8/80

Edition: SUNDAY  
 Milano Furniture Store  
 Title: ~~Attitudes~~ INDELICATE

Character: AR  
 or

Classification: 9.2

Submitting Office: BQMEA

OPEN SUNDAY  
 AT THESE LOCATIONS:  
 • BROOKLYN  
 8514 18th Ave. - 10 AM - 8 PM  
 • BROOKLYN  
 4113 Avenue U - 11 AM - 8 PM  
 • BROOKLYN  
 912 E. 51st St. - 10 AM - 7 PM  
 • RICHMOND HILL  
 121-23 Liberty Ave. - 10 AM - 7 PM  
 • MANHATTAN  
 227 Grand St. - 10 AM - 8 PM

# GALLERIA

fine furniture

GALLERIA FURNITURE  
 ANNOUNCES THE

## GOING OUT OF BUSINESS OF MILANO FURNITURE

THIS IS MILANO'S  
 ONLY STORE AT 227 GRAND ST., N.Y.C.

**40% to 70% off REGULAR  
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CASH & CARRY AT ALL STORES LISTED BELOW!

**126,976 in Furniture Must Go!**



5 SETS LEFT!  
 5 PC. CUSTOM LIVING ROOM  
 Deeply carved solid wood frame, hand carved and  
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 Never Before Available At Our Price!



2 SETS LEFT!  
 5 PC. CUSTOM LIVING ROOM  
 Deeply carved solid wood frame, hand carved and  
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 Never Before Available At Our Price!

DIRECT FROM OUR  
 OWN FACTORY TO YOU!

6 SETS LEFT!  
 8 PIECE  
 DINING ROOM



Deeply carved, painted by Old World Craftsmen,  
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 Never Before Available At Our Price!

GALLERIA FINE FURNITURE  
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 5 PIECE  
 ITALIAN PROVINCIAL BEDROOM

Magnificently carved in classic tradition of  
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 dresser, armoire, matching  
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On May 28, 1980, [redacted] provided  
the following information to SA [redacted]  
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Source advised that "Sonny Red" is  
INDELICATO [redacted]  
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

# Memorandum

TO : SAC; BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7006) (P) DATE: June 5, 1980

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
Sonny Red  
AR(A)  
OO:BQ

On June 5, 1980, the writer instituted a surveillance in the vicinity of the subject's home which is located at 1133 Elizabeth Street, New York, New York. The subject was not observed at this location.

Observations in the vicinity of the Milano Furniture Store, located at 227 Grand Street, New York, New York were also negative regarding the subject on this date.

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On June 18, 1980, [redacted] provided the  
following information to SA [redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]  
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TO: CHIEF CLERK

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**Subject**

**Social Security Account #**

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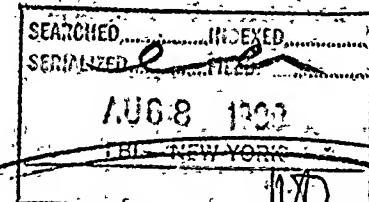
On July 10, 1980, [redacted] provided the  
following information to Special Agent (SA) [redacted]  
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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, (BQ 92-7006) (P)

DATE: 8/8/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, AKA  
"Sonny Red"  
AR  
OO:BQ

Re BQ airtel to Newark dated 4/21/80.

On 8/5/80, SA [redacted] telephonically advised the writer that the subject had been observed driving an automobile registered to Clipper Universal International, 311 7th Street, Jersey City, New Jersey. He further advised that this address was utilized by Walsh Trucking Company which subsequently relocated to 2820 16th Street, North Bergen, New Jersey. SA [redacted] advised that [redacted]

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On August 14, 1980, [redacted] advised Special Agent (SA) [redacted] New Rochelle, New York, that source has heard that [redacted]

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Source further advised that [redacted]

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Source further advised that [redacted]

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Source has further heard that [redacted]

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On July 31, 1980, [redacted] provided the following information to Special Agent [redacted]

Source advised that [redacted]  
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On August 19, 1980, [redacted] advised Special  
Agent (SA) [redacted] that [redacted]  
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On September 26, 1980, [redacted] advised  
SA [redacted] that [redacted]

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Source stated that [redacted]

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Source advised that [redacted]

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On September 26, 1980, [redacted] advised  
SA [redacted] that [redacted]

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Source advised that [redacted]

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Source stated that [redacted]

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Source stated that [redacted]

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Date 4/28/80

Re ALPHONSE INDELICATO  
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Field File No. 92-7006

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		Other No.	

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Sex	Race	Birth Date	Birthplace	Residence		
M	WHITE					

Height	Weight	Build	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Age

Fingerprint Classification			Scars, marks and tattoos

## Also Furnish:

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TO: SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7006)

FROM: SAC, NEWARK (92-4570) (RUC) (C-6)

SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
 "Sonny Red"

AR  
 OO: BQ

Re: BQ airtel, 4/24/80.  
 NK telcall to BQ, 8/5/80.  
 NK telcall to BQ, 11/10/80.

This confirms information provided to Brooklyn-Queens  
 in re telcalls.

Confirmation delayed due to case Agent's full-time  
 involvement in a Title III investigation and follow-up administrative matters.

For information of BQ, on 6/22/79, NYO advised that  
 subject was observed driving an automobile registered to Clipper Universal International, 311 7th Street, Jersey City, New Jersey,  
 which is also the address of Walsh Trucking Company.

Newark indices negative re Clipper Universal International Corp., however,

The 1980 Hudson County Street Directory Guide, shows the  
 following firms to be at 2820 16th Street, North Bergen, New Jersey:

National Retail Transportation Inc.  
S.E.A. Inc.  
Walsh Trucking Inc.  
Walsh Trucking Company

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TO: SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7009)  
FROM: SAC, NEWARK (92-4570) (RUC) (C-6)  
SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
"Sonny Red"  
AR  
OO: BQ  
  
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NY 92-7009 (ALPHONSE INDELICATO; AR)

On August 11, 1980, [redacted] provided the following information to Special Agents (SAs) [redacted] and [redacted]

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On November 24, 1980, [redacted] provided the  
following information to SA [redacted]

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# Memorandum



To : SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7006) (P) Date November 11, 1980

From : SA [redacted]

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Subject : ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
Sonny Red  
AR (A)  
OO:BQ

On November 11, 1980, a physical surveillance was instituted in the vicinity of 113 Elizabeth Street, New York, New York, the residence of the subject.

The subject was not observed at this time in the vicinity of his residence. Attempts to locate the subject in the vicinity of the Milano Furniture Store were also negative.

A spot check of known social clubs in the Mulberry Street area was also conducted with negative results.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7006) (P) DATE: 12/12/80

FROM : SA [redacted]

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SUBJECT: ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
Sonny Red  
AR (A)  
OO:BQ

On December 12, 1980, a surveillance was instituted in the vicinity of the subject's residence located at 113 Elizabeth Street, New York, New York. The subject was not observed at this time.

A review of the Bonnano Crime Family Control File (92-9280) on the same date reflected no current information regarding the subject.

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To: DIRECTOR, FBI

Attention: Identification Division

Date

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Field File No. 92-7006

Furnish The Known Identification Record of the Following:

Name	ALPHONSE INDELICATO 1018180	FBI No. 496 938 A W.D. 1-14
	100	Other No. B NUMBER 219802

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"SONNY RED" Indelicato

Sex	Race	Birth Date	Birthplace	Residence		
MALE	WHITE	2/16/27	NYC			
Height	Weight	Build	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Age
5'9"	165		Brown	Brown		

Fingerprint Classification

Scars, marks and tattoos

Also Furnish:

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X Please note correct FBI number is  
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Description and Related Data:

Race: White

Sex: Male

Height: 5'9"

Weight: 186

Hair: Brown

Eyes: Brown

Date and Place of Birth: 2-16-27 NYC

Scars and Marks: Tattoo left arm

Address: (in 1972) 113 Elizabeth St NYC apt 4A (as on prt #218902)

Occupation: (in 1972) Store Owner (Clothing)

Social Security Number: 072-18-6809

## **Memorandum**



To : SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7006)-P

Date 2-11-81

From : SA

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Subject : ALPHONSE INDELICATO, AKA  
AR (A)  
OO: BQ

On Sunday, February 8, 1981, the following vehicles were observed in the vicinity of the subject's residence, 113 Elizabeth Street, N.Y.C., by the writer and SA [redacted] BQ-6:

LICENCE	VEHICLE DESCRIPTION	REGISTRANT
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809YWU 1973 White Mercury Sedan NICHOLAS DELLA PENTA  
203 Grand Street  
New York, N.Y.  
DOB: 3-27-17

581LDL 1979 Brown HOWLAND CHEMICAL  
(NJ) Volvo Products Inc., Weis  
; 176 Wyoming Avenue  
Maplewood, N.J.  
(expired 6/80)

651JGX 1973 Green SALVATORE CURRO  
Buick 2 DSD 371 Broome Street  
N.Y.C., N.Y.  
DOB: 8-14-21

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A surveillance was instituted in the vicinity,  
however the subject was not observed at this time.

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To : SAC, BROOKLYN-QUEENS (92-7006) (C) Date 3/2/81

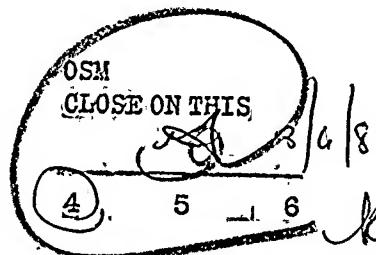
From : SA [redacted]

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Subject : ALPHONSE INDELICATO, aka  
AR (A)  
OO:BQ

Source information regarding the subject to date is relatively limited and reflects no specific criminal activity. Inquiry with the New York City Police Department Intelligence Division also failed to produce information indicative of specific criminal activity. Attempts to obtain intelligence by surveillance and agency inquiry have also proved negative regarding criminal activity within the Brooklyn-Queens area.

Inasmuch as no information has been received or developed to date indicating criminal activity by the subject, who appears to be associated primarily with the New York City area, it is recommended that this case be closed administratively.



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